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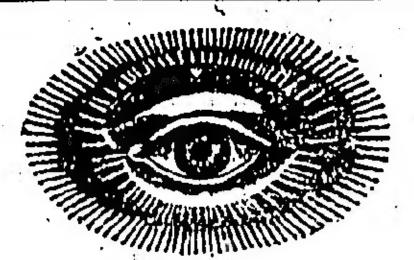
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HANKOW'S OVERTURES.

Turned Down By Nanking Government.

BORODIN WOOING FENG.

Acting Finance Minister Under Arrest.

The object of the recent visit of M. Borodin and Percy Chen to Kuling was to meet representatives of the Nanking Government with the object of patching up a peace between the two parties.

Hankow's overtures were turned down and Borodin at once returned to Hankow. He has now sent delegates to meet the "Christian General" with the object of winning him over to the Wuhan Government.

Dr. C. C. Chang, the Acting Minister of Finance, has been arrested, ostensibly for alleged embezzlement, but more probably for

political reasons. The correspondent of the London "Times" in Hankow has been missing since Saturday night.

HANKOW STRENGTHENING DEFENCES.

NANKING'S NEW TARIFFS.

Drustic Impositions.

The Nanking Government is

asserting its right to tariff au-

tonomy and will abolish, on

September 1, likin, native Cus-

toms and all levies on goods in

Simultaneously they will in-

crease the Customs duties as

follows: To the legal 5 per cent.

ad valorem, they will add 71/2

per cent. on all ordinary imports,

15 per cent. or 25 per cent. on

luxuries, according to classifica-

an equivalent excise on articles

manufactured in China.—Reuter.

Feng at Hsuchow.

king states that it is reliably re-

Nationalist base for the recent

drive against Peking, was occu-

WAR DEBTS.

OUTSPOKEN.

U. S. CONTRIBUTION.

The Mellon-Berenger debt agree-

ment between France and America

of the Franco-American mis-

understandings to America's "won-

derful assurance; she alone knows

what is right, and this assurance is

TRADE UNION BILL.

LORDS PASS THE THIRD

resulted:-

READING.

The House of Lords has passed

For third reading .. 86

Against 17

Majority 69

-Reuter.

London, Monday.

Washington, Thursday.

Shanghai, Tuesday.

and Kwangsi.

vicinity.

of Hauchow,—Reuter.

Shanghai, Monday.

Hankow, Monday.

It is now established that the visit of M. Borodin and Percy Chen to Kuling was to meet representatives of the Nationalist Goevenment regarding a possible agreement between the two parties being arrived at. M Borodin's departure from Kuling was due to the turning down of his proposals by Chiang Kai-

M. Borodin is now getting into touch with Feng Yu-hsiang and has sent delegates to try to win him over to the Wuhan Govern-

Dr. C. C. Chang, Acting Minis ter of Finance in the Hankow Government, has been arrested by General Li Ping-hsien, ostensibly for alleged embezzlement, bu more probably for political rea-

Mystery surrounds the disappearance from Hankow of Mr. Riely, the correspondent of the London "Times." He has not been seen since Saturday night. The British American Tobacco

Company have opened for trading in Hankow. There was a further large movement of troops down river

to Kiukiang yesterday .- British Naval Wireless.

> Outcome of Defeats. Chinkiang, Monday.

Either as a result of defeats by the Fengtien troops on the North ern front or for the purpose of reinforcing forces against Hankow. Southern Nationalist troops continue to arrive here from the North. There are eight empty

transports awaiting them. Large numbers of troops are also collecting at Nanking, where there are eight further transports at anchor.—British Naval Wireless.

Hankow Troops For Hukow.

is as good as a deed is the opinion of the French Minister, M. Kiukiang, Monday. Andre Tardieu, in an outspoken The Hankow party have evidinterview declaring that France ently decided to advance troops regards the debt as part of the further than Kiukiang in their United States' contribution to the defence against the Nanking war and no French Government troops. Forces have been deswould take the responsibility of natched below Kiukiang binding France for 62-year debt Hukow .- British Naval Wireless, payments; and ascribing the bulk

COMMUNISTS JAILED.

CHARGED WITH ESPIONAGE IN FRANCE.

EXEMPLARY SENTENCES.

Paris, Monday. Six Communists, who were charg-

ed with espionage, have been sentenced to imprisonment for terms varying from five years to sixteen months and fines varying from 5,000 to 1,000 francs. One of the accused was acquitted.

A Municipal Councillor, M. Cremet, and his Secretary, who evaded arrest, were sentenced in contumaciam to five years' solitary confinement, a fine of 100,000' france, and five years' deprivation; of civil rights.

Five others were deprived of their civil rights for five years .- Reuter. IA Paris cable of April 10 stated: ...The Police raided the general headquarters of the Communist Party. They arrested six people. but released a woman. The arrests against espionage by a section of settled personal estate valued at first American Minister to the opposition to Marshal von Hinden-Police headquarters.]

NAVAL PARLEY.

Another Long Cabinet Meeting.

Delegates Prepared For Any.

London, Monday.

Reuter learned that the delegates principles of Democracy and Naare prepared for any possible con- tionalism which were explained in

The Cabinet unanimously ap- 11 last. " proved of a suggestion for dividing cruisers into two classespowerful 10,000 ton ships and

The effect of this would be that equality could be maintained in the larger ships, whilst each country would be free to build as many smaller cruisers as it desir-

A further meeting of the Cabinet will probably be held to-

MINER'S DISTRESS.

ECHO OF 1926 SETBACK.

tion which opened here to-day.

emphasised the distress among the ignorance of Chinese history. A wireless message from Nan- miners owing to low wages, the scarcity of employment, and debts ported there that Hsuchow, the contracted during the stoppage. He appealed to fellow mining Trade Unionists to rally round the federation, whose membership was largepied by the Northerners on Sat- ly reduced, to retrieve last year's urday who were, however, driven set-back, and to make greater use

out the following day by Feng's of the political machinery. He troops. This is the first news of regretted that he was unable to see the troops of Feng being in that a brighter outlook under the present The Nationalists' front line is

now near Kuchen, 25 miles south

SUCCESSFUL. A FRENCH MINISTER

Rugby, Monday. Captain Courtney, who hopes to fly to America and back, made trial flights to-day and used wire-

less apparatus. He found that the vibration in the receiving set had been successfully overcome, and said that there was now no cause for delay except the weather. - British Wireless Service.

DUTCH FEAT.

LANDMARK IN AIR NAVIGATION.

based on the worship at worldly Amsterdam, Monday. goods."-Reuter's American Ser-The arrival of the monoplane carrying Mr. Van Lear Black, as a first class passenger between Holland and the Dutch East Indies under forty days, is regarded as a remarkable Dutch achievement, establishing a new land-

> Brancker, of the British Air Ministry, was present.—Reuter.

LORD SWAYTHLING. DIPLOMATIC CORPS

LEAVES A FORTUNE OF £400,000.

London, Monday. Lord Swaythling, the well-known 2400,000.—Reuter.

DIVISION OF CRUISERS.

Contingency.

ping Mr. W. T. Bridgeman and tions of a further series of six Lord Cecil, preparatory to their lectures by the late Dr. Sun Yatreturn to Geneva, a long Cabinet sen on "Democracy." The first meeting -was held under the will appear in these columns tochairmanship of Sir Austen morrow.

smaller patrol cruisers.

The delegates leave for Geneva on Wednesday, and on their arrival the tripartite Naval Conference, which has meantime been suspended in their absence, will be resumed.—Reuter.

transit from the coast of trade duty, interport duty, and destination tax in Kiangsu, Anhwei, Chekiang, Fukien, Kwangtung,

FUTURE OF COAL INDUSTRY.

Southport, Monday. topics for discussion at the annual conference of the Miner's Federa-

conditions of the industry.-Reuter.

FLIGHT TO U.S.A.

CAPT. COURTNEY'S TRIALS

ALL DEPENDS ON WEATHER.

mark in commercial air naviga-

One hundred thousand people the third reading of the Trade greeted the machine at the aero-Union Bill after a decision which drome of the Royal Dutch Navigation Company, and the Nederland Indie Vleegtocht Comite gave a banquet in honour of the event, at which Major-General Sir W. S.

FIRST U.S. MINISTER FOR DUBLIN.

London, Monday. banker, who died recently, left un- Dublin to assume duties as the as candidate for the Presidency in Irish Free State.-Reuter.

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COMMENCING TO-MORROW.

Foreigners' Ignorance Of History.

The "China Mall" announces With the object of finally equip- that it has secured the transla-

The "Father of the Republic" At the close of the meeting develops his thesis of the three the articles commenced on April



DR.SUN YAI SEN

"the power of the people" and dis- ring to the conclusions of the cusses the form of government Imperial Conference he expresshest suited to China. Dr. Sun ed the hope that those who had The reorganisation of the Miner's Yat-sen points, out; in this con- not already contributed to the Federation, the creation of one nection, that democratic ideas upkeep of Imperial sea power Miners' Union, the future of coal were to be found in China two would assist with a trifle. In retion, 57½ per cent. on alcoholic industry and the wage position in liquors and tobacco products with topics for discussion at the annual butes the action of foreigners in dilated on the handsome donaclassing Chinese "with Negroes tions already made by Hong Kong and Polynesians as people incap-Mr. Herbert Smith, presiding, able of self-government" to their

NANKING OUTRAGES.

British White Paper To Be Published.

London, Monday. In the House of Commons, in reply to questions, Sir Austen Chamberlain said that he hoped shortly to publish a White Paper containing reports on the Nanking outrages, but he would be unable to publish all the information in his possession unless he was able to obtain the consent of other Governments .- Reuter.

GERMAN POLITICS.

MARX RESIGNS FROM THE REICHSBANNER.

REPUBLICAN SURPRISE.

Berlin, Monday. A crisis in the Republican organisation Reichsbanner has FORGED PASS BOOK. reached a climax owing to Chancellor Wilhelm Marx resigning his membership as a protest against CHINESE OBTAINS 12,000 FROM empty holds. There is a conthe recent behaviour of the leaders, especially in connection



ence with the political affairs of Austria and an insult to the Austrian Government."

The news has caused a surprise in Republican circles as the Reichsbanner in 1925 launched a Mr. F. A. Sterling has left for campaign nominating Herr Marx burg.-Reuter.

LOCAL SHIPOWNERS.

Government.

A RESIDENT'S CRITICISM.

"Legalised Robbery Methods."

A Hong Kong resident who has just returned to the Colony forwards us the following:-

"Punch" of March 23 last in the article termed "Essence of Parliament" has a cartoon showing the First Lord of the Admiralty seated as Brittannia complete with Shield and Trident and entitled "Bridgemannia rules the Waves," and the following is

my digest of the "Essence":-The First Lord is described as a plain blunt man who knows what he wants and gets it out of the Chancellor of the Exchequer at the point of a marlinspike, and as indicative of the cheeseparing which the Admiralty had thrown itself into with characteristic zest, they had foregone the construction of five motor launches negative an Amendment to the the guest of the Regent in the effect that "Pure and Applied capital. Science," not charwomen, was what the Admiralty should be

spending its money on. The First Lord passed easily from the role of cheeseparer to The first lecture deals with that of genial mendicant. Referand the Straits Settlements, and added that any further contributions would be thankfully received."

CARSTAN BAR METHODS.

Our correspondent comments: "Mr. Bridgeman may be an expert with a Marlinspike, but if he knew of the Canstanbar methods of the Government of Hong Kong in hoisting that handsome donation out of a few small shipowners of this Colony who are now practically down and out | Wuchow and Kau Kong-about as a result of the boycott and 80 miles from Hong Kong. The other troubles in South China, wind at the height of the gale lative Council in passing the barometer. 29°. Below Kau of the First Lord might be Between Kumchuck and Juncshaken to such an extent that tion Bend two towing launches this ill-gotten donation from were sunk. Hong Kong may never be referred

The manager of the National idle and continuing to arrive, Commercial Savings Bank, 344, notwithstanding wood trade con-Des Voeux Road, reports to the ditions. police that some time between 12.30 and 1 p.m. on July 25 a person obtained \$2,000 in \$500 notes means of a forged pass-book.

BANK.

UNITED ASBESTOS

the 31st, ordinary annual meet- and one with a brass patch at Braitwaite, Adjutant-General to ing of the United Asbestos the breech. Oriental Agency Ltd., to be held There is a smattering of Service. at Messrs. Dodwell's offices, mounted infantry or cavalry, Queen's Buildings, on August 9 mounted on ponies, and armed next, states that the balance at with revolvers. Some have forthe debit of profit and loss eign saddles and some Chinese with the Vienna riots, which he account, after deducting \$4.159.90 | wood saddles. The saddle cloths described as "unjustified interfer- brought forward from last year, are faded, and dirty. The men is \$11,750.42 which is carried for- carry reaping knives for cutting ward to new account.

TO-DAY'S DOLLAR.

The closing rate of the dollar. on demand to-day was 1/11 15/16 versa, at the word of command.

OUTRAGE. DESERT

Abyssinian Attack On Caravan.

BRITISH SOMALIS KILLED.

Headman Deliberately Shot Dead.

Details of an unprovoked outrage on a caravan in Abyssinian territory have been graphically described in the House of Commons

by Sir Austen Chamberlain. The caravan was conveying supplies to a party of the Maharaja of Kutch, who, accompanied by Sir Geoffrey Archer, was travelling in

Abyssinia after having been the guests of the Regent. The carayan was attacked at four o'clock in the morning by Abyssinian soldiers, thirteen British Somalis being killed. The headman of the caravan was deliberately shot, his body being muti-

Rugby, Monday. Sir Austen Chamberlain, Secrebecause they wanted the money tary of State for Foreign Affairs, to spend on Minesweepers. He related in the House of Commons showed ringcraft and ducked very how an unprovoked attack was gracefully to a question, why, made in June on a caravan of supwith a smaller navy to look after. Elies to a party of the Maharaja of the Admiralty Whitehall staff Kutch who, accompanied by Sir should have 32 more charwomen Geoffrey Archer, Governor-Genon the strength; he worked the eral of the Soudan, was travelling House up with his breeziness to in Abyssinia after having been

> The caravan was travelling southward from Hargeisa, in British Somaliland, and had reached a point in the Ogaden district about 50 miles inside Abyssinian

The camp had been pitched in the territory of Jigjiga. At four o'clock in the morning it was attacked by Abyssinian soldiery, 18 British Somalis being killed. The headman of the caravan was demutilated. The caravan itself traffic was held up.

was completely looted. A request that arrangements might be made for the safe pass-

WUCHOW NOTES.

CRAFT WRECKED BY TYPHOON.

ANOTHER STRIKE.

[From Qur Own Correspondent.] Wuchow, Monday. at overcast, rain" is the official wea-The typhoon was felt followed by the legalised robbery was about 80 to 100 miles an methods of the Hong Kong Legis- hour; lowest reading of Indemnity Ordinance No. 18 of Kong some wrecked native craft 1922. I am rather inclined to was on the river bank and bodies think that the sympathetic side of the drowned were taken out:

> Another strike occurred at coolies and boatmen for the load- O'Higgins have been discharged, ing of firewood, poles, etc. went no evidence being offered against on strike for a 80 per cent. in- them. crease of wages. Neither wood any port, so steamers arrive Canton and Hong Kong with trate's decision.—Reuter. gestion in the harbour through lighters, junks and towboats lying

Troop Movements. For the last 10 days all steamby ers, irrespective of flag, are crowded with Yunnanese troops

bound for Samshui.

grass on the voyage, down from Nanning, when stops are made. Between feeds the ponies eat the wood of the junks' upper sides. They are good tempered ponies, jumping out of the junks' holds on to steamers' decks and vice

lated, whilst the caravan was looted.

GUESTS OF THE REGENT.

age of the Maharaja and Sir Geoffrey Archer through Abbyssinian territory was addressed in ample time to the Regent. Even if warning of the approach of the caravan had not been issued in time to local authorities this would in no way justify the outrage.

His Majesty's representatives in Addis Abbaba was endeavouring to obtain compensation from the Abyssinian Government.-British Wireless Service.

THE TYPHOON.

WEST RIVER. PASSENGERS ESCAPE.

TWO STEAMERS SUNK IN

The effects of the typhoon were liberately shot and his body was | felt in the West River where Two small steamers (names unknown, believed to be ferry-

> were sunk off First Cliffs where the funnels of the steamers are discernible to navigators. It is believed that all the pas-

boats) and a passenger junk

sengers reached the shore. Observatory Report. The Royal Observatory, Hong Kong, reports that the typhoon is still shown as a somewhat deep

depression 100 miles north-east of Haiphong. Weather Forecast. "South-east winds, moderate;

ther forecast for Hong Kong until noon to-morrow.

IRISH OUTRAGE. TRIAL FOR CONSPIRACY

FAILS. TEN MEN RELEASED.

Dublin, Monday. Ten men charged with conspiracy in connection with the to again in the Mother of Parlia- Wuchow during last week. All murder of Vice-President Kevin

> There was no demonstration nor poles are being shipped to inside the Court but a small in crowd outside cheered the Magis-

ON THE RHINE.

COMING VISIT FROM WAR SECRETARY.

AUSPICIOUS DATE.

Rugby, Monday. Sir Lamington Werthington The majority are armed with Evans, Secretary of War, will lances and revolvers, others with visit the Army of the Rhine at rifles of all makes. Out of a Wiesbaden from August 4 to bundle of seven seen there were August 7. He will be accom-The report to be presented at three different bores and makes panied by General-Sir Walter the Forces. - British Wireless

KING FUAD.

VISITS LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED.

King Fuad of Egypt visited the Stock Exchange to-day. He was given a cordial reception, and business was practically

Rugby, Monday.

suspended during his stay.—Eritish Wireless Service.

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FINANCE.

WORLD COTTON.

ADVANCE OF 166,648 BALES THIS SEASON.

Washington, July 11.-With 633,024 bales of cotton consumed in May, against 516,376 bales for approximately 500,000 bales more than were used in the corresponding period of the last cotton year passed into consumption during the ten-month period ended May 31, according to figures made public by the Census Bureau. The consumption for the ten-month period is placed at 5,970,844 bales. against 5,475,502 bales last year. Cotton stocks on hand May 31 included 1,794,284 bales in consuming establishments and 2,868,947 bales in public storage and at compresses, against 1,448,739 bales in consuming establishments and 2,965,477 bales in storage and at compresses on the same date last year. The number of cotton spindles active during the month

Consumption Analyzed. The cotton consumption for May of this year included 22,013 bales of Egyptian, 7,807 bales of other foreign and 1,778 bales of American-Egyptian, while May 31 stocks included 56,445 bales of Egyptian, 18,589 bales other foreign and 5,000 bales American-Egyptian in consuming establishments and 13,370 bales Egyptian, 9,068 bales other foreign and 2,510 bales American-Egyptian

is placed by the Census Bureau at

Linter consumption; not included above, totalled 72,766 bales in May against 65,199 bales in the same month of 1926, bringing the total for the ten-month period to fibre have led to its almost comestablishments against 165,287 bales a year ago, and 68,032 bales in public storage and at compresses against 85,000 bales.

For the first time in a considerable period, the New England States showed consumption above that of a year ago, the figure for May being 150,585 bales against 128,647 bales in 1926, bringing the total for ten months to 1,397 bales against 1,395,133 bales last year. Stocks May 31 included 509,767 bales in consuming establishments and 118,620 bales in public storage against 497,435 bales and 172,199 tered in the number of active cotton spindles, which totalled 13.752,-092 in May against 13,735,570 in that month last year.

Cotton States Gain. Consumption in growing States for the month 456,285 bales, against 362,987 bales last year, the tenmonth total being 4,304,305 bales, against 3,800,027 bales. Stocks included 1,190,521 bales In consuming establishments and 2,516,311 bales in storage and at compresses, bales, respectively. The number of active spindles was over 650,000 above the figure for May, 1926, being 17,685,944, as compared with

Cotton consumed in the other month, but the ten-month total was. tained by complicated processes. 268,550 bales this year, against 280,342 bales a year ago. included 93,996 bales in con- have lately been registered and suming establishments, against bales in storage, against 67,790. The number of active spindles was

21,347 bales, against 13,625 bales last year, heaviest receipts being Keelung, Makong, Nanto, Shin- 14,020 bales from Egypt, 2,872 Takao, bales from China and 2,596 bales from British India. Exports total-CHINA:-Shanghai, Hankow, Amoy, led 628,132 bales, against 419,459 bales in May, 1926, with 155,217 bales going to Germany, 101,857 bales to the United Kingdom and 145,975 bales to other European countries.

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HANKOW POSITION.

TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

OPPOSITION TO U.S. BUREAU.

Washington, Monday. The executive committee of the American Government, which the at Hankow at all. Chamber of Commerce heartily endorsed .- Reuter's American Ser-

ARTIFICIAL SILK.

DIFFICULT TO SUPPLY DEMAND.

INDUSTRY'S PROFITS.

London.-The outstanding fea- are addressing the debenture of the embargo on the movement ture of the artificial silk industry at holders concerned asking for their of silver to permit of busine the present moment is that yarn instructions in the matter. producers cannot meet the demand of consumers, and that this demand is steadily increasing.

So widely is artificial silk being used in the production of wonmen's dress material that weaving masters who have turned their attention in this direction and have adapted their machinery are much better employed than those who have refused to venture into the new field.

Besides the demand for hose of various classes, which are now Beef Siri nearly wholly manufactured from artificial silk, improvements which have been brought about in the warmth and softness of the new 663,050 bales against 666,671 bales | plete adoption in certain classes of last year. Stocks on May 31 in-1 underwear. The fibre is also wholcluded 225,417 bales in consuming by used for linings because of the quality of smoothness which reduces the wear usually resulting Bullock's from friction. For lingerie artificial silk has a great vogue. Its pliability and beauty of colouring, coupled with real silk, have given it

complete supremacy. New Cloths. A Manchester merchant who artificial specialises - in .. stated that quite a firms have new which are in process of registra-"Indeed," he said, "there seems to be no field connected with Calves' Head & Feet. 本行方数 wearing apparel or artistic house- Mutton Chop hold equipment which is likely to bales repectively on the same date remain clear of invasion from artiin 1926. A slight gain was regis- ficial silk, and my opinion is that, once knowledge of the brilliance of the new range of colours and their adaptability becomes general in the East, quite a new line of business will be opened up." The dyers and finishers are quite enthusiastic over the progress already made and some of the leaders of the industry declare that research is disclosing remarkable possibilities. The combination of fibres derived from Pork Chop 排 vegetable bases with animal fibres has opened a wide door in this respect, and great developments are likely to ensue in that direction. against 863,638 bales and 2,725,488 Other possibilities are already being taken advantage of. For instance, cellulose of a certain class, which has not any affinity for usual dyestuffs, is woven along with Sucking Pigs, to order. viscose and sometimes cuprammonium in such a way that one dip-States increased from 24,742 bales ping in the dye vat produces effects in May, 1926, to 26,053 bales last which could formerly only be ob- Veal

Working Methods. Several new methods of working others await the decision of the for registration.

Discussing the possibilities of the Canton Fresh. (基別 省域次 future as to the various kinds of Water Fish. (水) 海劉 1,468,544, against 1,506,494 last future as to the various kinds of Water Fish. artificial silk yarns, a chemical expert gives it as his opinion that Carp..... we have not vet touched the fringe Catfish of finality. For instance, he points Codfish out that a Continental investigator Crabs has discovered a new method by Cuttle Fish which gums, pectines, proteins, betaines, higher alcohol, urethanes, Dab and various forms of molasses pro-ceedingly soft and lustrous and Eels, Conger with a remarkably effective ap- ... Fresh Water ... 淡水 pearance when woven.

Inquiries fail to disclose any im-proved developments in the way of is said that considerable progress Gudgeon has been made with new adapta- Herrings reached the stage at which the re- Labrus sultant apparatus can be placed on the market.

RUBBER EXPORTS

Nearly 200,000 Tons So

Pike 花 班 Singapore, July 4. Rubber exported from British Plaice Pomfret, Black Malaya during the month of June amounted to 32,606 tons. Pomfret, White & During the first six months 1927 196,860 tons were exported of Ray the declared value of \$289,720,000.

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CONFLICTING TRADE RE-PORTS.

News from Hankow is most confusing, on one hand one hears of changes in the political and military situation which may or may not bring about better industrial conditions. On the other hand firms which contemplated returning members of their staff to Hankow have altered their plans on receipt of advices from Hankow indicating that conditions were such United States Chamber of Com- that normal business could not be merce has rejected a suggestion resumed. Simultaneously arrives to develop Russo-American trade. a cable from a large industrial un- to three weeks clearance, and as water must not be considered to In the course of a letter to a mem-dertaking stating that all pickets the bulk of cargo purchased at coincide with the times of slackber who broached the proposal, have been withdrawn, and asking auctions last week might become water and change of current, the the Committee expressed the opin- for the immediate return of full due for payment after July 31, two phenomena being quite ion that nothing but propaganda staff to permit of the immediate such purchases could only be distinct. harmful to America could result, resumption of normal business. cleared on presentation of cash and such action was tantamount With such conflicting reports it is orders. to repudiating the position of the impossible to gauge the position

> Municipal Debentures. Cheques on an individual further sales should be suspend account of the Central Bank for awaiting some decision by t payment of full municipal deben- Chinese Chamber of Commerce a ture interest due at June 30 have other representations of the trace been presented to the bank in ex- Accordingly there was no pie change for which the usual Central goods auctions last week. Bank discredited notes were offer- . In view of this stoppage of ed. It is understood that these important branch of the pie notes have not been accepted in dis- goods trade it is understood nati charge of payment of due interest | banks are appealing to the Nanki and that holders of these cheques Government asking for the remov

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EMBARGO ON SILVER.

SHANGHAI PIECE GOODS AUCTIONS SUSPENDED.

The three firms holding regular weekly auctions of piece goods have advised their buyers both through the native press and by notices exhibited in their salerooms of the foreign banks decision not to release cargo after July 31 against the usual 5-day native order.

Purchases at auction are subject Under these circumstances t

auction buyers association has suggested that for the time bei

HONG KONG TIDE.

The tide-table given below has been obtained by aid of the Tidepredicting Machine, which includes 40 components for the better prediction of tides, from the result of the analysis of the tidal observations, taken at the Kaulung tidal observatory under the direction of Dr. Doberck during the years 1887, 1888, & 1889. The times and heights are given for Kaulung; but they may be used for the Victoria Naval yard

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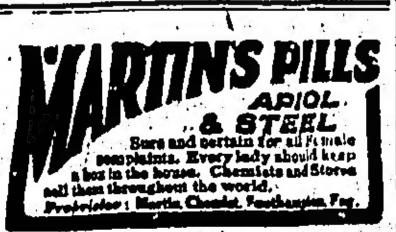
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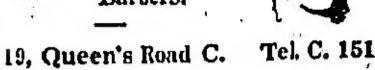


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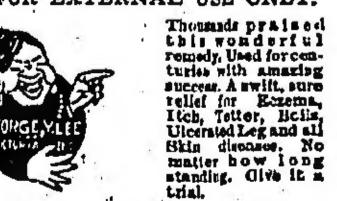
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FOUND HANGING.

RUSSIAN DIES IN MENTAL

Shanghai, July 22. An inquest was conducted yesterday at the Public Mortuary, by Judge Chao and Mr. A. Stevenson, the Senior Consul's deputy on the body of Sergius Garnett, an employee in the Health Department of the Shanghai Municipal Council, who hanged himself by a cord atlached to the iron bars outside the window of the room occupied by the deceased at the mental ward of the Victoria Nursing Home.

Evidence was given by Det.-Inspector Schmidt who said that deceased who was 36 years of age was found hanging by Mr. B. Stone an attendant at the Nursing Home. The body was immediately cut down and Dr. Bary was called but life was pronounced to be extinct. Deceased had been a patient in the

mental ward since July 7. Dr. Bary said that the deceased suffered from mental trouble. He had an idea that he was being persecuted by everyone and that they were trying to do him harm... Deceased had escaped from another hospital and had been placed in the Nursing Home mental ward. A verdict of "Suicide whilst of

unsound mind" was returned. Deceased is survived by his wife who is at present in Shanghai.

ADMIRAL VON TIRPITZ.

for some time been on a visit to his son-in-law, who is German 21. Edge of the roof of a building. envoy at Copenhagen, and his 22 Scoffs. daughter, Frau von Hassel, and has been living at the Legation. The German colony in Copenhagen generally believe that a fire which took place during the night in the Legation was an incendiary attempt on Von Tirpitz, and the offender is said to be a German | 32. An imaginary evil being sup-Communist. The attempt, how ever, failed, and only some furni- | 33. In good season. ture and old pictures were burnt.

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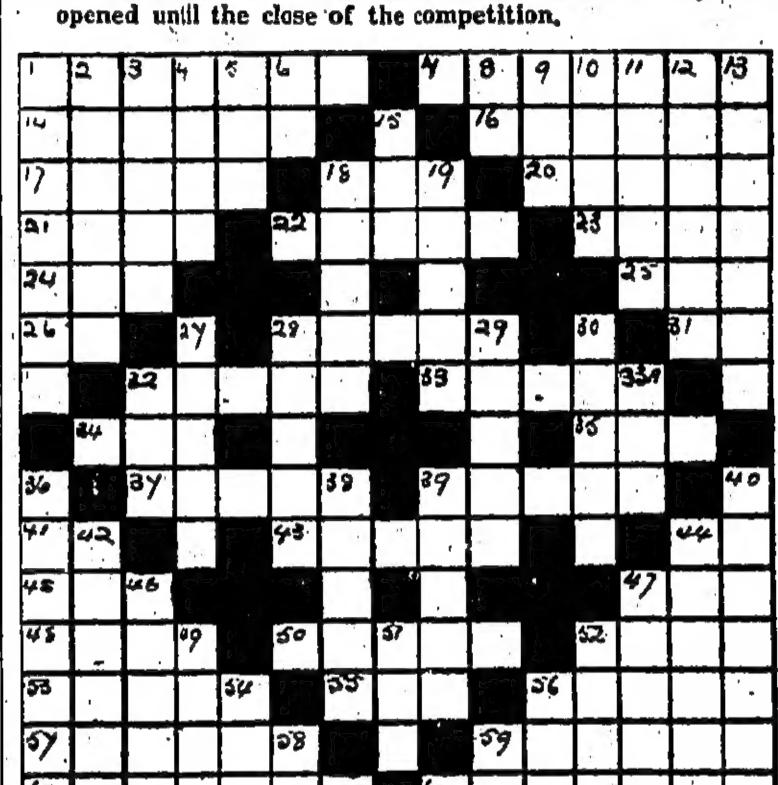
of the prize in each competition. The coupon must not be defaced in any way. All attempts must be in plain block letters and legible.

The Editor's decision will be final and binding in all matters of dispute, and he reserves the right to enter into Correspondence regarding the Competition. Solutions will be published with the results, in this paper, every

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2. An agate.

8. Ingenuous,

9. Arid.

4. U.C.M.E. (Actual).

6. A Gothic prefix.

8. C. T. (Actual). .

11. To part asunder.

13. A congregation.

19. To become extinct.

28. To shelter.

80. A prairie.

32. A rogue.

33A. An age.

39. Surely,

5. Plant closely allied to wheat,

10. To cry out like a child.

12. I. P. A. C. A. T. (Actual).

18. One of the faces of a hewn stone.

29. Kilns for drying hops or malt.

36. A gregarious aquatic animal. 38. To draw conclusions.

42. To write, engrave, or mark upon.

44. The pinion or outer joint of the

46. A carnivorous animal of the

15. A species of sapajou.

27. A hut or small cottage.

1. An unimportant or superfluous

Craft. 7. Emerging. 14. A genus of leguminous trees and shrubs, usually with thorns and pinnate leaves. 6. Pertaining to trap-rock. Harmony of language.

8. Precedence. Grand Admiral von Tirpitz has 20, A beautiful flowering tree of

> 26, A particle often prefixed to Angle-Saxon verbs. 28, A nocturnal lard. 31. Tree found in Pacific islands. posed to prey upon human bodies.

85. A simpleton. 37. A bore. Pierced with a sting. 41. Because. 43. Squirrel's nest (plural). 45. Non-commissioned officer (abb.).

50. A tassel. 52. To make a whirring noise. Messrs. R. L. Chutter, J. Cassa. 53. Fabled giant of ancient mytho-

47. Armed hostility.

55. To provoke. 50. A genus of palms. An ornament worn as a remedy or preservative against evils or mischief.

genus Luira. 47. To handle. 49. A long embroidered scarf of gauze or silk. 51 A barrier. A river or small stream. 54. N. T. O. (Actual). 56, A. M. U. (Actual).

40. Notched on the edge.

wing of a bird.

58. Nephrite or jade. 59. A. R. (Actual).,

81. To roll. Competitors are reminded that the prize is to be awarded for the correct solution, or if nobody succeeds in getting the correct solution, for the NEAREST correct solution. Therefore, even in you have not done the cross-word puzzle in full, send in what you have done it may prove to be the nearest correct solution.

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TO-DAY'S ARRIVALS AND

DEPARTURES.

THIS MORNING'S LIST.

The following ocean-going steamended at 9 a.m. to-day:-

dine's-911 passengers. Sandakan,-Jardine's-52 passen-

"Pres. Cleveland" (8,393) Ameri

can, from San Francisco, Manila,-Dollar Line-187 passengers, 202 tons general cargo for Hong Kong, 1,937 tons general (through). "Cuprum," (3,770) American. The Southern Railway Company from Osaka,—Robert Dollar—1,626 have placed with Messrs. David tons lumber and flour for Hong and William Henderson and Co.,

(through). gers, 1.045 tons general cargo for | nel services. Hong Kong, 234 tons general (through).

473 passengers, 2,200 tons general Clyde Shipbuilding and Engineerenrgo for Hong Kong.

general (through). anese, from Milke,-M.B.K.-3,964 tons coal for Hong Kong, 1,080 tons coal (through). "Sanjin Maru" (1,508) Japanese, from Keelung,-M.B.K.-3,300 tons

coal for Hong Kong. "Tung Woo" (873) Chinese, from Shanghai, Swatow,-Shing Kee &

Dairen.-Yee Tai Hang-950 tons Helena; Buoy 18, Ruthenia; Buoy have expressed the opinion that general cargo for Hong Kong.
"Sun Kong" (322) Chinese, from Kwong Chow Wan-Man Yick-300 tons general cargo for Hong Kong. "Shun Lee" (949) Chinese, from Dairen,-Yu Tai Han & Co.-650 tons bean and general for Hong Kong, 1,055 tons bean (through). "Antenor" (6,809) British, from Liverpool, Singapore, -B. & S.-14 passengers, 1,570 tons general cargo for Hong Kong, 6,040 tons

general (through). Departures. For Shanghai :- Antenor. For Hongay:--Koyu Maru. For Canton:-Sungshan Maru. For Haiphong:-Tonkin,

Clearances. For Kobe :- West Niger. For Keelung:-Siberia Maru, ·For Swatow:-Chak Sang. For Canton:-Yat Shing.

For Manila:-Pres. Madison. For Tarakan: -- Anatina. Shipping Abstract.

Arrivals Departures Port. British Japanese French Norwegian Chinese Dutch American Panama Portuguese

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3 TANKERS FOR LIVERPPOOL OWNERS.

The Blythswood Shipbuilding "Fook Sang" (1,987) British, known firm of owners in Liverpool. "Pres, Madison" (8,341) American, from Seattle, Shanghai,—
Dollar Line—316 passengers, 1.797
tons general cargo for Hong Kong, 2,327 tons general (through).

"Pres, Madison" (8,341) American and Co., Ltd., Greenock. Kincaid and Co., Ltd., Greenock. Britain, this competition has become less dangerous. The matter is such that during the past three vents and E/Russia call at Nagasaki the day after departure from Shai).

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The Southern Railway Company

Dutch Order for Clyde. Messrs. Erhardt and Dekker "Prosper" (1,376) Norwegian, (Wijklijn Steamship Co.), Rotterfrom Salgon,-Fan Yuen Hong- dam, have placed an order with the ing Co., for a carge steamer of "Ikomasan Maru" (1,953) Jap- to be classed 100 Al with Lloyd's, ly, is to be completed in eleven months.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

Hermes; Buoy 2, Wild Swan; Buoy "Eng Lee" (865) Chinese, from 8. Dauntless; Buoy 11, U.S.S. 25, Kharki.

> MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. and is due here to-day.

> Kong to-day. The E. & A. s.s. "Arafura" left Moji for this port on June 22, and is due here to-morrow, at daylight. She will leave for Manila, Sandakan, Thursday Island, Towns-ville, Brisbane, Sydney, and Mel-bourne, July 29, at 4 p.m. The Dollar Steamship Liner s.s.

"President Cleveland" will sail tomorrow at 7 a.m. destined to Victoria and Seattle via Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama,

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"Athos II," August 80. "D'Artagnan," September 13.

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SIR WILLIAM GRAHAM'S CONFIDENCE.

On the occasion of a recent visit to Oslo of Sir William Graham, of the firm of Bailey, Graham and Co., of Cardiff, Barry and Newport, a Norwegian paper availed itself of the opportunity of ascertaining his views on the shipbuilding industry and repair work in Great Bri-

Concerning the situation of ship-Co., Ltd., Scotstoun, are, it is under- repair work, Sir William is reported stood, about to begin the construct to have stated that this has been ers arrived during the 24 hours tion of two large single-screw favourable since the coal strike. Diesel-driven oil tankers for a well During the coal stoppage there EMPRESS OF RUSSIA were no repairs to be carried out. EMPRESS OF ASIA from Calcutta, Singapore, Jar- The vessels will each be of between But since the end of the strike EMPRESS OF CANADA "Hin Sang" (1,885) British, from and they will be propelled at a great competitor in the matter has EMPRESS OF ASIA speed of 111/2 knots by Harland B. been Rotterdam, where a lot of EMPRESS OF CANADA

which were ordered in January of reductions considered necessary to cold running water. provide possibilities of work.

Capital and Labour.

These conferences have been car-Kong. 3,365 tons general cargo Ltd., Partick, an order for a twin- ried on with considerable goodwill screw cargo steamer 220ft. in en both sides; and to the praise of "Cremer" (2,755) Dutch, from length. The vessel is intended for the workmen it can be said that Singapore,-J.C.J.L.-2,175 passen- the owners Continental and Chan- they are clear on the point that their wages must stand in reasonable relationship with the wages paid in countries with which Great Britain has to compete; and they were also aware that a peaceful agreement is better than a fight: On the whole it can be stated that the relations between labour and cap-"Macassar Maru" (2,512) Jap- 7,800 tons d.w., with bridge, fore- ital are now better in Great Britain anese, from Kobe, Karatsu,-Nanyo castle, and poop and teak bridge than they have been for many Y.K.-22 passengers, 1,000 tons deck. She will be of 382ft. length, years, and just for this reason Sir 53ft. breadth and 27ft. 6in. depth, William regards the future bright-

and fitted with longitudinal steel As to the question of new conbulkheads for grain. The contract struction -in Great Britain, Sir William stated that special ships are being built at the present time and fewer tramp vessels. But as time passes many orders will be North Wall Basin, Delhi; East placed also for tramps as the world Wall Basin, Subs. L15 and L19; per annum through obsoleteness "Hua Ming" (1.001) Chinese. North Arm, Vindictive; In Dock, and losses, and because the freight from Saigon,-Yuen Seng Fat-88 Moorhen; Taikoo Dock, Foxglove; market after the long unfavourable passengers, 2,000 tons rice for Hong Kowloon Dock, Emerald; Buoy 1, period will necessarily proceed towards better times.

Sir William is further reported to wages in the British shipbuilding industry cannot go down further, and the prices of materials are at the lowest possible; as a conse-The s.s. "Garbeta" left Singa- quence the British ship prices are pore for this port on July 19, p.m. now as low as they can be. . The result is that orders and more The M.V. "Viminale" (D. & Co.) | work are constantly coming forfrom Shanghai is expected in Hong | ward, and there is reason to regard the future with confidence.

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What is Wanted. maniently successful, but so long as Lopez, Mr. Look Tit-sang. Mr. Li experiment that, for smooth water it is pursued it disorganises the Fong-kook, Mrs. Lam, Mr. and conditions, the best position of the

What shippers require in their Parker, Mr. Soong, Mr. K. Szeto, tribution would also be become interests, as well as those of Mr. P. L. Siu; Mr. E. Shim, Mr. There is evidence from all producers and consumers alike, and Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. are steady freights and ample sup- Schoenbant, Mr. Tsai, Master Tsai, sult is then obtainable with the plies of tonnage, and those condi- Mr. Tan Jack-yew, Mr. Tee Kattions are not present while the hing, Mr. and Mrs. Wong Wah, ships, but whether the difference is freight market is exposed to attack Mr. Wei Sook-ching, Miss Wei E. due to that factor alone or to some either by way of flag discrimina- Wen, Mr. Woo Joy-min, Mr. Yang combination of circumstances is tion, preferential rates, or sub- Chan-fan, Mr. G. Yang and Mr. open to doubt; methodical experisidies which come out of the pockets Yeng Mon-tse. of overburdened taxpayers.

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WARSHIP ORDER.

BRITISH VESSELS FOR ARGENTINE,

The one serious ground of An order has been placed by the anxiety for the shipping community rests in the recovery of Germany as Argentine Government, represented a sea power. Whatever we may by Admiral Galindes, Chief of the have thought of the Germans' ac- Argentine Naval Commission in

ARRIVALS.

She ceased, for all practical pur- W. Robson, Miss L. Raymond, Miss signers and owners. Although so

DEPARTURES.

Passengers departed by A.M.L. Liner "President Madison" from Hong Kong for Manila on July 26 were:—

Mr. G. Abayo, Miss M. Arrayo, Mrs.

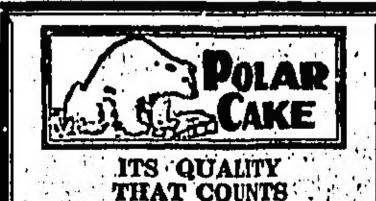
Chutter, Mr. and Mrs. B. obtained immediately after landing. R. Trias, Dr. A. Vazquez, Master All claims must be sent in to me Hydrick, Miss S. Squires, Mr. Chin

> Passengers departed from Hong where. Kong by the s.s. "Sheria Maru"

Mr. S. Elphinstone, Rev. W. T. Featherstone, Mr. E. Stewart, Capt. E. J. Larcomb, Mr. and Mrs. N. Ikezawa, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Kitagawa, Mr. T. Ishikawa, Mr. Lec Pakloong, Mr. D. E. Smith, Mr. J. Crookdake, Mr. Ho Chung-yi, Mr. V. P. Kromloff, Mrs. F. Marcal, Mr. Arthur James, Mrs. Chiu, Miss Alice Chiu, Mr. Chan Sun, Miss Hai Wei-ching, Miss Lau Kai-tung. Mr. Sing Fong-ng, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. W. C. P. Russell, Mr., and

Mrs. M. Matsumoto, Mr. N. Yamashita, Mr. and Mrs. S. Yoshikawa, Master K. Yoshikawa, No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 28th instant, will be subject to rent.

Rey, Mr. E. Paras, Mr. D. P. Williams, Mr. M. Fololsky, Mr. Leung Fook-ping, Mr. Ho Chuenche, Mr. Ip Tang-ying, Miss Ah Lan-chong, Miss Yeung, Man-chuk,



SHIP MODEL TEST.

GREAT ADVANCE AS RESULT OF EXPERIMENTS.

Tank experiments on ship models for ascertaining the suitability of hull formation, dimensions of propellers and effect of appendages, is now a well-established science, the original tank having been introhave thought of the Germans' actions under the stress of war, they are good seamen, and they know how to manage ships economically and efficiently.

"So writes Mr. Archibald Hurd in the "Daily Telegraph." Continuing, he says:—It is recognised that British shipping has little to fear from the Americans. The only ships under the Stars and Stripes which take part in the oceanic trade are those belonging to the American Government, and in building and operating those vessels a loss of £600,000,000 has been incurred, even though no provision has been made for incurance or depreciation, as is done by every private shipowner. Moreover, these State-owned ships are rapidly becoming obsolete, and no more are being built to replace them, with still being made from the tests at that establishment.

The system was later adopted by all the leading maritime powers, and the transactions of the technical institutions contain many valuable contributions from the various experimenters, all of which have been of extreme value to practitioners. The reasons given by read before the North-East Coast Institution of Engineers and Shipsubject, are therefore worthy of the much data is now available, and the improvements have been so Passengers arrived by the A.M.L. great, it should not be thought that

Weather, Conditions.

To give a particular instance of in the international sea-carrying Mr. and Mrs. Chun Bing-him, Mr. the direction in which research business. But the uprising of Ger- Chang Man, Mrs. Chen, Mr. T. J. should be continued, we might men-many gives British ship-owners Evans, Mr. Ho Jack-poo, Mr. C. T. tion one of the points named by little anxiety, because they realise Ho, Mr. Ho Yue-chee, Mr. H Yue- Mr. Baker, viz. :- that of ascertainthat, generally, the competition is ming, Mr. Ho Yook-lou, Mr. Ho ing the best form for rough weafair and above-board, and believe Vou-hing, Mr. Kiang Boi-yu, Mr. ther conditions. This is a phase that they can meet it successfully. and Mrs. A. Kao, Mr. H. Landis, of the subject which is still in its The rivalry which they fear is that of countries which load the dice in favour of their own na- Lafferty, Mr. Li Sun, Mr. A. A. conclusive. In the case of full tionals. That policy is never per- Lopez, Miss A. Lopez, Miss E. cargo steamers, it is found by tank disastrous reactions on trade and Loe Wing-kau, Master Loo Wing- ward of amidships, but it could not industry throughout the world. | Chuen. Mr. No Taz-chol. Mr. R. T. | be definitely stated that such disindustry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. Ng Tsz-chai, Mr. R. L. | De dennitery stated that sale industry throughout the sale industry throughout the world. | Chuen, Mr. R. L. | Chuen,

There is evidence from ships logs to suggest that a much better recentre of buoyancy aft of amidments would possibly throw some light on this point. There is also still a very wide field for research in connection with the association of propellers to hulls, and the points raised by Mr. Baker are important illustrations of the improvements which can be effected in

what may appear to be insignifi-

cant details. A complete set of experiments J. Arrayo, Mr. F. Buenchamino, can be carried out for a ship at be-Miss M. Braly, Mr. C. C. Coulter tween 2001. and 4001., and it will Mr. W. B. Curtis ,Mr. C. Duque, be generally agreed that this is a Miss C. Hudnut, Mr. E. Hormida, very trifling expenditure in relation to the average cost of a vessel, which Mr. Baker places at between 20,000l, and several millions of pounds. We would observe in this connection that there are many types of vessel of considerably less value which are worthy of, and would benefit commercially by, thorough investigation: as an example, we might cite the case of tugs.

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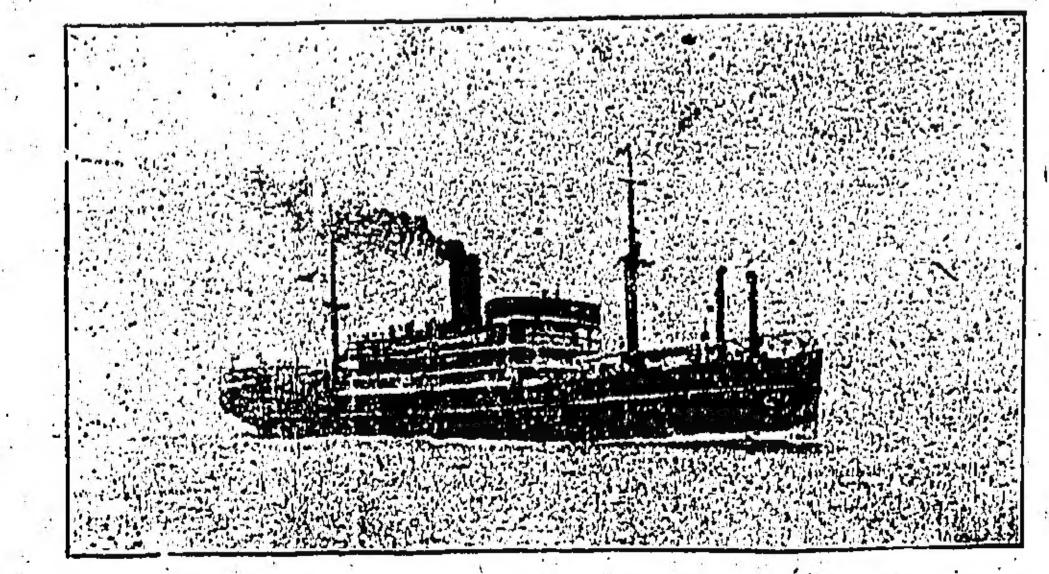
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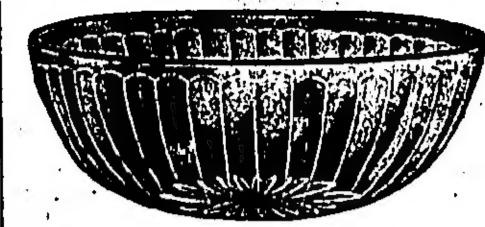
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Mrs. J. C. Wong and her children, grand children and great grand children beg to acknowledge dolence from their friends in their sad bereavement, for the numerous beautiful floral tributes ance at the funeral.

the Victoria Nursing Home Shanghai, S. S. Garnett, aged

IN MEMORIAM.

the Country Hospital, Shanghai, Harry, beloved husband of Nestie Pickering.

Hong Kong, Tuesday, July 26, 1927.

TRIBUTE TO THE NAVY..

China Steam Navigation Com- determination in continuing Bernard, made particularly pleas. dangerous. It can well ing references to the Wanhsien imagined that throughout gineers on the Yangtsze.

"But for the Navy. . . . come through the ordeal of war- affoat and ashore, fare on the Continent and Over- In this tribute paid by the

keeping the flag flying during the complete withdrawal of all British

community in this Colony than by those periods of mental irritabil- have been turned out or at least the Naval authorities and the gical causes. The Missioner, we Under this harsh management, terest opponent of naval armaments the peculiar position of the tic to him. He suffers no mental British Empire in regard to conflict, no home-sickness, and Naval strength and the great need that must always exist for the maintenance of a Navy not only strong enough for purely dewith heartfelt thanks the many fence purposes but strong enough expressions of sympathy and con- to detach units to guard British lives and British trade in un settled countries like China. The sent and for their kind attend- congratulations of the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company to the Wanhsien heroes, whose gallantry will go down to posterity, cannot GARNETT .- On July 20, 1927, at be regarded as an empty formality in any sense of the term. They symbolise the gratitude of the entire Empire—and of the entire body of foreigners in China PICKERING.—On July 21, 1926, at | well—toward the British Navy as of the case in which Percy Sidney

Hon. Mr. Bernard should not over- of his duty. look at yesterday's meeting the part played by the sister servicethe Mercantile Marine. As he stated, it must not be overlooked defended, submitted that it was that all vessels plying on the It is not often that ordinary Upper and Middle Yangtsze were have resisted a man six foot tall meetings of public Companies in from time to time subjected to and four stone heavier if the the Colony witness a departure considerable rifle fire from Chin- Police officer had merely intimatfrom the prosaic routine in the ese troops on the banks. The for arms. way of an allusion to events of thanks of the Company were, The Police officer had said, Imperial moment. At the meeting of shareholders of the Indoengineers for their patience and pected the defendant of the thorse pany, yesterday, however, the run under conditions which could carrying under his arm. The Chairman, the Hon. Mr. D. G. M. only have been most trying and epic, to the co-operation of the whole year, as Mr. Bernard point-British Navy, and to the gallantry ed out, the difficulty of handling be discharged. of the Company's officers and en- Chinese crews, worked up to a spirit of unrest and independence by what can only be termed "pro-That is a phrase reminiscent of fessional agitators," was very war times. "But for the Navy" great, calling for considerable it would have been a sheer im- tact and forbearance on the part possibility for the Empire to have of the executive officers, both

tions of the service all over the world. In conjunction with the Navy they have made British trade possible where it would have been the easiest thing to have "closed down" owing to the tion of H.M. Navy authorities, in sending naval officers and ratings precarious and often dangerous on board China Navigation ships conditions prevailing for ship- during the typhoon, is it not, to ped-off at 7.51, Eastern daylight say the least of it, a step somewhat raving time,—Honolulu paper. ping. This is a great accomplish- beneath the traditional dignity of ment, tending to make the name the Royal Navy to participate in ment, tending to make the name of the British Mercantile Marine more honoured and revered than ever before both on land and sea, not alone by their fellow-Britons but by foreigners of all nations.

The alleged refusal of officers to go on board during typhoons of the farm, who had brought out his school books to do some home studying, was stuck over a word.

"Mum," he said, "what's a millennlum?"

"Mercy, boy; I never heard of such a thing. Ask your dad,"

The alleged refusal of officers to go on board during typhoons of the household. It's just

have ably fulfilled the high tradi-

The Happy Beachcomber. Mental irritability amongst Europeans in the tropics has of late received an amount of attention from the medical press, which would go to show that an increasing number of cases have come to the attention of the writers. Now we have the word of the Chief Secretary of Malaya that neurasthenia is growing amongst Europeans there. The

so, and the third not at all. The of the matshed. far the great majority. He ladies and gentlemen alike) should Well, on his own boast, he gave journeys to the tropics in obedience of his secondary inagain the questions of its servants
stincts of curiosity, hunting for who are either bare-footed or with

Italy lies on the water. But water elsewhere. And, the Hon. Mr. food and the wherewithal to ob- such appearances that look un- is the unstable element, and, as D. G. M. Bernard well emphasises, tain his creature comforts with worthy to be regarded as the staff the Germans found out, some but for the Navy's assistance in greater facility than he can at of such a big Club?

herd instinct and his tropical environment is in no way antagonishence, none of the signs of minor mental disturbance. Happy man!

POLICE METHODS. SOLICITOR MAKES SERIOUS ALLEGATIONS.

ARREST PROCEDURE.

Police sergeant that he had breakfast of oatmeal, milk, bread, assaulted a Chinese he saw run- and coffee. Sacco maintains his ning in the street the better to fast .- Reuter's American Service. intimidate him into admitting anything the Police officer suspected were made at the resumption at the Magistracy yesterday OLDER THAN CANTERBURY. Lai is charged with assaulting, resisting and wilfully obstructing than Canterbury, older, than sure will be glad when his wife It was likewise fitting that the Sergt. Haywood in the execution

There is a counter-summons against the Sergeant for alleged to the benefice of Holyhead.

Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton, who ludicrous to imagine that a lad standing five foot five would

to of the bundle of clothing he was was of resisting search for arms be and Mr. Brutton contended that the Police did was to put the "fear of the intriguing age of 5 years, as the defendant had not been

(Major C. Willson) how he could explain the alleged unprovoked (Continued at foot of next

Column.)

HOT WEATHER DISEASES.

CORRESPONDENCE.

NAVY ON "STRIKE" SHIPS.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.") Sir,-With reference to the ac-

emanated from Shanghai. If offi- head of the household. It's just cers had been approached locally the same as a centennial, only it's on the holsting of the signals I have got more legs." no doubt but that they would have responded.

Yours, etc., ONE OF THE OFFICERS. Hong Kong, July 26.

CHINESE BATHING CLUB.

[To the Editor of the "China Mail."]

Dear Sir,-I shall feel very much obliged if you will kindly subject is an interesting one. A subject is an interesting one. A allow me through your esteemed paper to state that the management of the Chinese Bathing Club divides all wanderers to the regarding the fact of allowing its tropics from Europe and America members to go into the matshed into three main types:—(a) the to bathe, is far from being satis- Mr. A. J. Cook, the unfortunate Adventurer, (b) the Missioner, factory. For, before its members Miners' Federation Secretary, in and (c) the Beachcomber. The can enter therein, they often re- the course of the last "interview" first class, according to the doctor, ceive very rude treatment from he gave (or got) before his strike suffers extensively from mental the servants of the Club who are collapsed, said, more in sorrow strain, the second very much less instructed to guard the entrance than anger: "I am a celebrity, but

be compelled, ere gaining ad- £300 for his false teeth, too!

home. Then, around the end of In one instance, I heard its ser- phere they are visualised in. his third year, he begins to ex- vants put these questions to a critical times on the Yangtsze and perience a strain in carrying out party of some swimmers:-"Wei! its aid in the way of convoying, a his work. This he puts down to "Why not sign your name here, climate. And if he prolongs his first?" The gentleman did as told. New York? stay uninterruptedly for ten years Again the servant said: "How vessels would in all probability have had to be effected.

This tribute to the work of the Navy in the Far East must be appreciated no less by the general preciated no less by the general and without the visitation of those periods of mental irritabilation of those periods of mental irritabilation of the vessels would in all probability or so, he often suffers a severe about that man; is he not a about that man; is he not a about that man; is he not a school?

Miss Uptown: Oh, I was shown and examined for some minutes the party get in. But had he not brought the ticket he might have been able form.

Naval rank and file. It is not are told, sublimates his emotions, it is quite annoying and perhaps good job managin' a hand laundry, sufficient to say that the Navy ac- and it is for this reason that he insulting too to be questioned by but it falled on me. complished the object for which pical conditions. Then we come to how inconvenient is it that memhappen to fail?" it was despatched to China the jolly old Beachcomber. He ber must bring a ticket when enwaters. The Wanhsien epic seems to be the luckiest of the lot, tering a club? If the Club wants because he possesses little or no the place to swim, I am sure there herd instinct and his tropical enare many other ways to be adopt-Then, why be so rude upon

thousand of its members? Thanking you for your space,

Yours very truly,

Hong Kong, July 26.

TIRED OF FASTING.

VANZETTI HAS SUBSTANTIAL

BREAKFAST. Boston, Monday. Vanzetti has interrupted his try are no more careful than our Allegations against a European hunger strike with a substantial

"The Welsh Church was older York," declared the Bishop Bangor in instituting the Rev. T. mother's canning fruit.- "Bowling J. Rowlands, lately of Swansea, Green (Ohio) Sentinel."

countries, but the Welsh Church across country. They were very was founded by the old saints of hot, and when they came to a small there was no country in the whole Unfortunately, there was too many of Europe where the Church was of them for so small a pond, and so truly national as the Welsh there was much confusion after a Church. He dreamed of the day few minutes that the worried maswhen the Welsh Church would be the one Church of the Welsh in! But if you don't all get in people

The "Fear of God." arresting him, but the private in-Asked by the Magistrate dividual must be protected. The said: "You'll be all right now, police in the Colony has a difficult dear; you were only dreaming. Job and should be supported but Now go to sleep again." Betty they must not lose sight of the looked thoughtful, and then said: public's right. sends at night-time. Do you?"

Mr. Brutton concluded by stating that every single bit of the evidence was in favour of Lai. He submitted that his Worship about? could not come to any other con-

P'RAPS-P'RAPS NOT!

Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh hop-

Little Johnny, of the farm, who

Those who recollect the old "Spoonerisms" will smile at one that occurred at a function when the nervous chairman rose and said hurriedly: "Ladies and gentlemen, Mr. Kfooks, and Mr. Bloggers will now render that-er-ah-er-yes, duet, "Nightman, What of the

There's one excellent cure for dandruff annoyances and that's a tweed suit.—"California Pelican."

According to the Home papers I can't help it." Sort of "great-Is it fair that members (both ness" thrust upon him as it were?

futures aren't worth the atmos-

Suburb: You go to school in Miss Uptown: Yes.

Suburb: What do you take at Miss Uptown: Oh, French and lunch.-"Texas Ranger."

What is the worst thing you Tread on his corn. .

Tramp: "Yes'm, I wunst had a Lady: "Poor man. How did it

Tramp: "She left an" went home Angry Motorist: I want a quart of anti-chatter oil.

Service Man: Sure; where's your Angry Motorist: I want it for my wife .-- "Georgia Cracker."

There are now definitely two Liberal parties, we are told (says the London "Sporting Times"). Should another Liberal be discovered, we take it there will be three

These genuine extracts from American papers show, that the printers of that enlightened coun-

Liberal parties.

A female steer, black and white, I would exchange for something that I could use. What have you to trade? John T Wilson, R. 8, Cadis, Ky .- "National Farmer." Miss Marguerite Dunlevy and

brother, Ross, entertained a com-

pany of friends one evening decently.-Galesburg (Ill.) paper. Emmet Ash is bathing and says he doesn't like it the least bit and comes home. Mrs. Ash is at her

The young schoolmaster had The Church of England owed its origin to Italy and other been taking his boys for a tramp Wales, stated the bishop, and pond he said they could bathe. you will all get in."

Children's sayings are often deassault by the Police officer, Mr. | lightfully quaint; but this one is charge now brought against him Brutton alleged that when a man perhaps as quaint as any. A was to be arrested the first thing citizen, who has a little daughter was distressed on a night-or, stopped by the Sergeant for this purpose his client was entitled to be discharged.

The "Fear of God."

OI God into him.

In the opinion of Mr. Brutton hear little Betty crying bitterly.

On toddling into her room he found her sitting up in bed; and, after her sitting up in bed; and, after "Dada, I don't like the pictures Dod

Stu: What is Jack so pleased

Dent: Why, he's got an idea for seas triumphantly. "But for the Chairman of the Company the ly dangerous, particularly during the clusion than that the Sergeant an invention that will make him a

Dent: A cake of flying scap for

shower baths .- "Virginia Reel."

Navy" it would have been impos- public generally will not be slow and in order to protect yourself and Major Willson intimated that Stat: An idea worth millions!

sible for Great Britain to mainin identifying itself. The memtain her supplies of foodstuffs to bers of the Mercantile Marine atDiarrhoen Remedy. It can be deon Wednesday afternoon.

shower baths

Disorders of the bowels are extreme-

her Colonies in the Far East and tached to this particular concern proded upon. For sale everywhere. on Wednesday afternoon.

NOTES NO GOOD.

WATER CO. AND FOREIGN ACCOUNTS.

REFUSING CENTRAL BANK BILLS

The "Central China Post" of July 16 contains the following interest-

users of electric current were sur- in utilizing Crown land for setting have been stolen. prised to receive a printed notice from the Hankow Water- Mr. A. E. Hall, who appeared sent by Lloyds Bank, Cardiff. to the regiment's war dead in works and Electric Light Company for the defence, said that the head office of the bank in the cemetery at Ploegsteert—the which read as follows:-

for water and electricity be paid in silver dollars or such bank-notes as they would receive from us.

The Hankow Waterworks and Electric Light Co., Ltd.

and shareholders of the Waterworks Department was usurping the effort to trace it has failed. Company, we cannot but feel that Magistrate's powers in imposing The missing bag was one of what the courage they have now mustered to express the suggestion that the currency of their Government is not as good as foreign money, has been much too tardy to be of any

Where is all the Silver? It probably is a source of regret tionary and expounded that the to many besides the management of the Waterworks, that foreign firms meaning, had a meaning also akin were checked at Paddington and only two pink-label Cardiff bags meaning to account the banknotes of meaning, had a meaning also akin were found immediate inquiries refuse to accept the banknotes of to "premium." the Central China Bank, and as the Central China Bank, and as their circular evidences they are only when the defendant refused searched from end to end. Cardiff if goods have to be purchased to pay the \$50 that this summons was emphatic that the bag was abroad, or outside the sphere in was taken before the Court. placed in the train, and all submust be paid for in real money, and unless such goods are sold for money of an equivalent value, then there speedily comes an end to all trade no matter of, what nature. Those within the sphere may live for a time by the proverbial "taking in of each other's washing." or they in of each other's washing." or they primitive state of exchange and barter. Coal and oil not forming NEW TOKYO HOTEL. there is no possibility of the Company exchanging their water and current for these essential products. Hence even this system would break down in the case under review. Whoever was responsible for the drafting of this circular has perhaps unconsciously expressed the foundation of the whole trouble when he or they state that "great difficulties are experienced in obtaining silver money or dollars." The guestion that should break down in the case under review. Whoever was responsible to the same on hand for the mail van, and it was during the confirmed as Special Resolutions, building a hotel on a grand scale in front of Tokyo Station, or on the site adjacent to the Kaijo sight for a moment at Paddington.

A stone platform has been built round and over the block house and on the top has been be and are hereby appointed.

Lowe, Bingham and Matthews be and are hereby appointed. would break down in the case under be asked is, 'what has become of fluential persons. be asked is, 'what has become of the silver and the dollars.' People do not eat silver, and dollars do not disappear into thin air of their own volition. Even the wild assumption that military expenses have been paid in dollars, and that every soldier has received all the pay due to him in silver, does not account for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance; soldier has received all the pay due for the curious disappearance into thin air of their own which is to be capitalised at Y.12,000,000, is to be of seven soldier has received all the pay due for the curious Mail Thefts.

"It will be recalled that in October 1925, Treasury notes to the value of £6,000 were stolen in transit by railway from a mail-bag between Snow Hill Station, Birmingham, and Newport, Monmouthshire. The notes, made up for the curious disappearance in the certer. On the war Cross, with the war cross, with the war cross, with the war cross, with the dollars in octoon for the curious disappearance into the curious fit will be recalled that in October 1925, Treasury notes to the war Cross, with the war cross, with the war cross, with the curious disappearance in the curious fit was payed to to him in silver, does not account with a bathroom, on a site cover- handed over in two parcels at the those inscribed on the Menin Gate THE HONG KONG & KOWLOON for the curious disappearance; soldiers do not eat dollars any more than other people, and therefore the silver must be in existence to be equipped with somewhere in the country. The Turkish and Russian bathrooms, Snow Hill Station and the examination of the mails same dilemma is where is the much hold 2,000 people.

Are Chinese Approached? By what process of reasoning the owner of the site is the Mitsubishi this case, also, the notes had been directors of the Waterworks arrive Company, which is likewise an despatched by a bank. for their foreign consumers to ob- enthusiastic supporter of the tain silver money than it is for scheme. the Chinese consumers the circular does not disclose. If it did, the minjority of foreign consumers would have heartily welcomed its appearance, and we suggest that a News":further circular be issued containing the necessary information. In which case there is no doubt but pleasant little interludes, as, for that foreign consumers will not only cheerfully pay in the currency requested, but will in addition, celebrate their accession to knowledge by a display of illumination which will be of material benefit to the Company. As it is not the foreigners who are responsible for the fact that Shanghai and other places refuse to accept Hankow paper currency, it would be pertinent to ask that foreign consumers will not instance, when, accompanying the rency, it would be pertinent to ask, for a dressing table ornament, and is serious, but complete recovery telegraphic rate. Deferred mes-why the circular particularly speci- promptly secured it. The contents is almost certain, according to the sages will be accepted at onefies foreign consumers, and whe- otherwise were disposed of and, at attending physicians. ther the same circular has been dis- the date of writing, do not con- Kono made the attempt while Messages for Hong Kong will of their debts or claims, and the

needed silver?

and oil consumed to the volume of of his head caused by a scale fallwater and current produced is a ing on him whilst working on the small one. The items which figure s.s. "Seang Bee" which is under Company's ledger, are the wages of employees and taxes, and it is quite certain that none of these have to a crushed toe. be paid in foreign money. Of two foreigners who were employed by the Company one, the chief, was dismissed by order of the Waterworks Coolies Union, without compensa- Government and people here. They Coolies Union, without compensa- Government and people here. They tion or consideration of the fact that must make that currency good. two-thirds of his contract period There will be no hesitation on the of service was unexpired. Even part of traders of any nationality to of service was unexpired. Even part of traders of any nationality to had this gentleman's services been exchange their goods for Hankow He was in an unsconcious condicious service on this, its first retained up to the present time—as currency once the fact is demon- tion and a pen-knife was clasped inter-Oriental circuit, by the there was no stipulation in his con- strated that there is sufficient metract to the contrary—there is little tal under the control of the bank the currency in force at ing usage. Till that time trade this centre. The remedy does not will only droop and wilt under the We are sick of the women's of mutilation and delay on

FINED BY P.W.D.

COURT USED AS A COLLECTOR.

DECISION RESERVED.

Foreign consumers of water and moned by the P.W.D. for trespass in mail week and is believed to

P.W.D. condoned this by the fact Notice.

Notice.

It is to our regret that at present foreign trading firms are regular to accept bank-notes of Hankow currency. As this company has to pay for materials, especially coal and oil, great difficulties are experienced in obtaining Shanghai that action was taken by the Department. Then a fine of \$50 was of the above fact, this company is imposed, and a condition was officials. The van was locked and officials.

London.

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July 26—Concert, "Cheer O," 7.30

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Counsel suggested that the pile.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith (Assist- not opened at Reading. While we have a certain amount ant Crown Solicitor) appearing of sympathy for the management for the P.W.D., denied that the was missing, and since then every

and some action had to be taken. Train when it left Cardiff. He produced Stroud's legal dic-It probably is a source of regret tionary and expounded that the

which a Government has the power "What else does that mean," his sequent inquiries have confirmed to enforce its exactions, such goods Worship said, "than asking this them. must be paid for in real money, and Court to act as a lever for the The officials incline to the belief

SEVEN STOREY STRUCTURE BEING PLANNED.

obtaining silver money or ardently supported by the Rail- the contents of the missing bug. dollars." The question that should way Department and other in-

question for the management of the a grill room, dance hall, music Waterworks and similar organisa- hall, and various other chambers, tions who find themselves in the and a grand banqueting hall to have been substituted.

is from Y.4.50 up to Y.40. The from Bradford to Manchester. In

FIRMS PLEASE NOTE!

Says the "North China Daily

Even a journalist's life has its

The relative proportion of coal from severe burns to the right side

A Sugar Refinery worker has been removed to hospital suffering from

but that his salary that issues the notes to meet the years of age, single, and a native paid in normal lemands of ordinary bank- of Fugusima, Japan. lie in asking foreigners to pay in difficulty which the Waterworks is question.—Miss Margery Fry, radiograms which has existed for a different currency, it lies with the but one in facing here.

£10,000 MAIL-BAG.

VANISHES BETWEEN CARDIFF AND LONDON.

MISSING FROM EXPRESS.

Four registered packages con-The Magistrate, Mr. R. E. Lind- taining Treasury notes to the value Li Tse-fong, builder, was sum- transit between Cardiff and London The Treasury notes were being

of the above fact, this company is imposed, and a condition was officials. The van was locked, and consecrated by the Bishop of Lonunwillingly compelled to request their foreign consumers that as from this month (June), their bills was legalised.

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of a Magistrate in imposing a fine. ing, but no mails were taken on address:—

Meaning of "Fine." there and the van was therefore

Thief's Opportunity.

When the contents of the van were telephoned to the South Wales

but, it is quite possible that the Capt. G. J. C. Dycett.

Previous Mail Thefts.

The hotel charge so far fixed ed from a train while in transit

HARI-KIRI.

JAPANESE ATTEMPT WITH PEN KNIVES.

Manila, July 20.

he attempted to take his own life

In each of his hands.

The attempted suicide is 31

"PLUGSTREET."

LONDON RIFLE BRIGADE TABLET UNVEILED.

GENTLEMEN OF BLACK BUTTONS'

Brussels. ing article on the position of the Hankow Waterworks Electric Light decision in the case in which Mr. of a mail-bag which was lost in Rifle Brigade (5th City of Lon-Three hundred and fifty officers don Regiment) crossed Channel to see Lieut.-General Sir H. F. M. Wilson unveil a memorial to the regiment's war dead in p.m. Flanders village still remembered

Earl Cairns, who commanded the 7 p.m., at "Better 'Ole," 7 p.m. P.W.D. had usurped the powers Cardiff and London was at Read-said in the course of a brief Hall, 6.80 p.m.

> The 1st Battalion was treated with the greatest kindness and consideration by the inall these years, are still sur- Road, 11 a.m. prising in their generosity. If September 15- Valuable prothat spirit still lives, as I be- perties in the New Territories, at lieved it does, those who lie here Messrs. Lammerts' Sales Room, 8. are assured of respect and re- Duddell Street, 3 p.m. cognition for all time-not only in London, but also here in ing. 4.15 p.m. Belgium.

generations taking their even- 6 p.m. ing walks along the road which bounds our cemetery, and pointing as they pass to this gate, with the words, "There sleep the gentlemen of the Black Buttons."

and railway men superintending graves, was unveiled in Tyne Cot TUESDAY, the 5th day of July, but it is quite possible that the Cemetery, Passchendaele, by 1927, the following Extraordinary

erected the War Cross, with the

In February last year a mail- HONG KONG RADIO.

THE NEW PHILIPPINES SERVICE.

The "Manila Bulletin" of July 22, announcing the new radio 12 noon for the purposes provided service between Hong Kong and the Philippine Islands, says:

The management of the Radio Corporation of the Philippines said last night that beginning at 7.30 a.m. to-morrow, June 23, it will open a commercial radio half of the full rate.

ther the same circular has been dispatched to their Chinese consumpatched to the cate of writing, do not constant the attempt white the accepted at the city office of Radio Corporation of the Philip-Solicitors (if any), to the underpose of their Calle Regidor. He employed the use of two pen-knives, using one in this hot weather possibly of water too.

A Chinese from the Taikoo dock-yard has been admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering the cate of writing, do not constant the attempt white the accepted at the city office of Radio Corporation of the Philip-Solicitors (if any), to the underpoint is open at all hours. Traffic "via Room with the slashed the city office of Radio Corporation of the Philip-Solicitors (if any), to the underpoint is open at all hours. Traffic "via Room with the slashed the city office of Radio Corporation of the Philip-Solicitors (if any), to the underpoint is open at all hours. Traffic "via Room with the slashed too.

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was not a surprise to his neigh- Pacific circuit, the RCP will Kono was found at 6.50 a.m. by employ automatic transmission local radio concern, which in actual operation with San Francisco during the past month has completely dispelled the old bogey Principal of Somerville College, some years in Marila.

Shadows Before.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN THE "MAIL"

Entertainments. July 26-Queen's Theatre; "The Sporting Chance." July 26-World Theatre; "Sixty Cents An Hour," July 26-Star Theatre, Kowloon;

"The Silent Rider." July 26.—Tea Dance, Cafe Restaurant Parisien, 4.30 p.m. July 26-Isako's Circus, New Re-

clamation ground, Wanchai, 9.15 July 26—Entertainment of song and dance by the J-Pans in Seamen's Institute, 21 Praya East, 8.30

July 29-Concert, at "Cheer 'O," July 30-Grand Concert, City

Lammert's Auctions.

July 28- Valuable household furniture at No. 9 Queen's Garden (ground floor), 2.45 p.m. August 4-5-Household furniture. habitants of this little town. I pictures, curios, etc., of the late can recall actions which, after Mrs. M. J. D. Stephens, No. 5, Peak

> Meetings. July 26-Sanitary Board Meet-

July 29-Annual meeting of mem-And I like to picture future bers of the Peak Club, at the Club,

NOTICES.

THE HONG KONG & KOWLOON

Resolutions were duly passed; and their backs were turned for a The Tyne Cot Cemetery lies at a Second Extraordinary Meetjust under the crest of the Pass- ing, duly convened and held at the At Paddington the bags are chendaele Ridge, an objective of same place on WEDNESDAY, the checked as they are taken out of the fighting in 1917. The nucleus 20th day of July, 1927, were duly

be, and are hereby appointed Liquidators to act either jointly or severally for the purpose of such winding up.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1927. N. CROUCHER, Chairman.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Pursuant to Section 181 of the Companies Ordinances . 1911 that a Meeting of the Creditors of the HONG KONG & KOWLOON TAXICAB COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Offices of the Liquidators, 3 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of August, 1927, at for in the said Section.

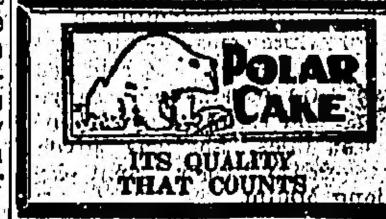
Dated this 25th day of July, 1927. JOHN FLEMING. H. R. M. CLELAND, Joint Liquidators.

IN THE MATTER OF THE COM-PANIES ORDINANCES 1911

IN THE MATTER OF THE HONG KONG AND KOWLOON TAXICAB COMPANY LIMITED.

THE CREDITORS of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before the 15th day of September 1927, to send their names are proved.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1927. JOHN FLEMING, C.A., H. R. M. CLELAND, C.A., Joint Liquidators.

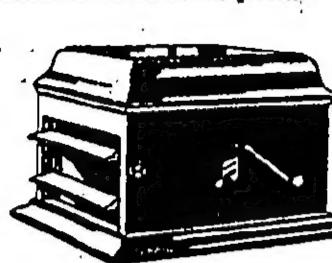


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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Yesterday at about 5.15 p.m. Revenue from the bets tax in one of the crew of the Dairy May was £289,400. Farm launch fell overboard and was at once washed away by the

loafers at Yangtszepoo last week has died in hospital. One alleged assailant, with two loaded revolvens on his person, has been arrested.

A Chinese singsong girl was arrested in Yaumati yesterday, believed to be connected with a plot to kidnap a young Chinese, who claims that last January this woman and another man, coaxed him to go to Canton under the pretext that they would open a shop in Honam.

A report was made to the Police yesterday by Mr. C I. Cookes, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, to the effect that his wife lost a gold brooch on which were mounted three Chinese gold cash. The loss was discovered after Mrs. Cookes had reached the Peak Tram Station from Queen's Road Central.

Chinese electrician, employed by the China Light & Power Co., Ltd., was charged with fraud before Mr. W. Schofield at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning. Under the preext that he had authority to install electric meters he obtained from a Yaumati household the sum of \$13 as deposit. He was sent to prison for one month with hard

"Number 51" of the Carillon

for the Canadian Parliament Buildings at Ottawa, the largest Carillon in the world, was shipped from Croydon by the Canadian National Railways on the Cunarder "Antonia." The bell is 84 inches in diameter at the base, 5 feet, 9 inches high, and weighs between London and the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa on July the Diamond Jubilee of Canada's Confederation.

An unemployed Chinese seaman was fined \$50,000 or 12 months old child. hard labour at the Central Magis-The Chinese detective named tracy yesterday for being in Tzung Nung-tuh who was shot by possession of over \$10,000 worth



Guglielmo Marconi whose engagement has been announced to Counte's Maria Soali of Rome. Marconi, owing to his wonderful pioneering in wireless 20 years ago was offered the title of Duke of Coltano by the King of Italy, and many other titles which he has repeatedly refused, preferring to be called Marconi only.

The week's programme of

A Chinese married couple were acquitted at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of kidnapping a five-years-

Hadteville House, Guernsey, the home of Victor Hugo, the great French poet, during many years of exile, was formally handed over to the city of Paris. It was the gift of a number of descendants of Victor Hugo now living in Guernsey, and the presentation was the occasion for a striking ceremony in which delegates from Paris took

At 5.45 p.m. yesterday the Fire Brigade was called to 349, Queen's Road West, where the verandah of the first and second storeys had collapsed. A boy, a woman and two men were buried under the debris, but thanks to the prompt turn-out of the Brigade, they were dug out and found to be suffering from nothing worse than a few bruises.

In connection with the piracy of the s.s. "Solviken;" it learned that the Police have certain information obtained as a result of the non-collection of fifteen of the tickets issued to passengers. These tickets are obviously in the possession of the pirates who embarked as passengers and from the names given on the counterfoil, the Police have been able to trace details of certain of the men who stayed at boarding houses locally whilst awaiting the arrival of the ship.

A distressing tragedy is reported to have taken place at Port Swettenham, when the junior steward of the "Mentor" is said to have thrown himself into the sea. A sailor heard someone say "Good bye, all," and entertainment erranged by the saw Mr. G. C. Hilldred going Committee of the Naval and Mili- overboard. He immediately intary Y.M.C.A. is as follows: To- formed the Chief Officer. The day:-"Cheer O": Concert, 7.30 "Malaya Tribune," as the result 61/4 tons; it is tuned to Low G. p.m.; "Better 'Ole": Whist Drive, of inquiries made when the It has been dubbed the "Luxury"

Note that the stance of t sionally in rendering Carillon cert Party, 7.30 p.m. Thursday:— was immediately secured but the music, and is rarely included in "Cheer O": Informal Dance, 7 p.m.; search for the steward was any but the largest Carillons. "Better 'Ole": Sing Song and Sing- fruitless. He may have been The first note on this bell was ing Competition, 7 p.m.; Rope Fac- carried out to sea, but it is more struck by the King through the tory: Concert by The J-Pan" under probable that he fell a victim to completion of an electric circuit direction of Miss Capell, 7.15 p.m. the sharks or crocodiles that Friday:—"Cheer O": Concert, 7 infest the water at that spot. p.m.; "Better 'Ole": Concert, ar- The missing man was a popular ranged by Committee, 7 p.m. Saturday:-City Hall: Grand Concert, member of the crew and the arranged by Mrs. Costen, 6.30 p.m. | reason for his act is a mystery.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NEWS.

Fraser, District' Officer North Territories), residing at from Peking. Taipo, and Miss Kathleen Ella Mozley, Mountain Lodge, Hong

Passengers for Manila by the "President Madison" to-day clude Mr. C. C. Coulter, Miss C. Hudnut, Mr. H. H. Maguire, the Hon. Manuel L. Quezon and Mr. L. Osorio. Arrivals from Manila yesterday by "President Cleveland" included Mr. J. A. Cameron.

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place shortly, of Mr. J. L. Dodds, First Secretary at the British Legation, Stockholm, and Mrs. Etelka Bell. of Paris, widow of Mr. Edward Bell, of New York, late American Charge d'Affaires in Peking, and daughter of Brig.-General H Conyers Surtees.

Weihalwei people are regretting the departure of the Rev. C. R. and Mrs. Burnett. Mr. Burnett is a missionary of the S.P.G. and acted as Port Chaplain. In addition, he has for the past 16 years been principal of a Chinese school for advanced students and is described as perhaps the best allround sportsman Weihniwei has had.

Mile. Svetlanova, directress of Shanghai Ballet School, for Singapore for a, three months' engagement with the Raffles Hotel there. Mlle. Svetlanova will be back in November and will open her school again. Mile. Svetlanova proposes to give three ballet performances in the coming season with her pupils.

Col. Cecil Rae, from Ipoh, while on the voyage to Europe met with a nasty accident on board, It appears that he slipped in the swimming bath and fell heavily on one side and as a result broke a couple of ribs. The accident occurred while the ship was entering the Red Sea. The injuries received careful attention and by the time the ship reached Port Said Col. Rae was able to sit up and write.

A pretty wedding was solemnised on July 6 at St. Mary's dress of white crepe-de-chine and Tanjong Malim.

The Planters' Association Malaya hopes to entertain Sir Hugh Clifford at tiffin during His Excellency's forthcoming visit to Kuala Lumpur.

ager, Chenderiang Tin Dredging, conferred upon him for services in Ltd., has been appointed a mem-connection with the China Tariff ber of the Batang Sanitary Board Commission. vice Mr. A. F. Spooner.



Commander Ramon Franco, Spanish aviator, who has submitted plans to the Cabinet of Spain for a flight around the world in an aeroplane of all Spanish construction. Commander Franco, who sometime ago flew from Palos, Spain to Buenos Aires, plans to take two companions with him in his world

net with a wreath of orange Registrar of the Supreme Court, madonna lilies. She was given of the best of Malayan cricketers, ernment service next year.

The forthcoming wedding is an- | Col. G. G. Stroebe, of the Yangtze | The Rev. C. G. Sparham, secreunced of Mr. John Alexander Conservancy Board, has returned tary of the China Advisory Council of the London Missionary Society, has returned to Shanghai accompanied by Mrs. Sparham after an absence of 10 months in

> Mr. K. D. Stewart attended the investiture at Buckingham Palace on June 21 and received from the Major N. F. Dare M.C., Man- the Order of the British Empire

> > Admiral Sir Arthur Leveson, First and Principal Naval Aidede-Camp, was in attendance upon the King at the investiture at Buckingham Palace on June 21, and was invested with the insignia of Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath. Sir Frank Swettenham, King of Arms of the Order of St Michael and St. George was present.

The annual gathering of the Victoria, Hong Kong and South China Diocesan Association took place on June 29. At 12.30 Rev. G. R. Lindsay (formerly of St. Andrew's, Kowloon) gave an address at St. Martins in the Fields This was followed by lunch, then in the afternoon the Reunion was held in Victory House, Leicester Square. The chair was taken by the Bishop of London, who was in Hong Kong last Christmas, and the Rt. Rev. C. R. Duppuy, Bishop of Victoria, was the speaker.

Surgeon Rear-Admiral George Albert Dreaper died at the Royal Naval Hospital, Haslar. Born on July 7, 1863, the son of Mr. R. H. Dreaper, of Finsboro House, Castlecomer, Co., Kilkenny, he was educated in Dublin, and became a surgeon in the Royal Navy in 1884. He was staff surgeon of the Magicienne during the South African War, and also in the Jubaland expedition 1900-1901. when he was landed in charge of the military hospital. He also served in the Naval Hospital, Hong

There has been some concern about the health of Viscount Grey, of Fallodon, but he is expected to resume his attendance at West-Mr. Duncan Bardsley Hogg, minster shortly. As statesmen go Church, Kuala Lumpur, the Rev. eldest son of Dr. Alfred Hogg and O. B. Parsons officiating, between Mrs. Hogg, of Chefoo, was married in his 64th year. He has, however, Mr. J. W. Fuller, of Malayan Col- to Eileen, daughter of the late Mr. had a lot of trouble with his eyes, lieries, Ltd, and Miss M. I. Teale. F. R. M. Stone and Mrs. Stone, of while his general health has not The bride looked charming in a Manchester, at Home, on June 16. | been too satisfactory, and he was compelled to give up, temporarily, kace, and a veil of embroidered Mr. R. M. Mackenzie, Assistant some of his political work. Nobody will, be more pleased than the Liberals to know that his early reblossom and carried a sheaf of Kuala Lumpur, and formerly one turn to full activity is likely, because as Chairman of the Liberal away by Mr. Stanley Smith of expects to retire from the Gov- Council he plays a big part in the internal affairs of the party.

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CRICKET HUMOUR.

MY LORD AND THE BUTLER.

LOT IN COUNTRY GAMES.

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match, when a butler was umpirhave your bat in the crease next time, my lord."

When Robert Carpenter, Thomas Hayward, and George Tarrant were contemporaries, and played for Cambridgeshire, that county could that he was Ibw, but no appeal was competitive play.

made. During the evening, when the players were fraternising together. as was the custom in those days. escape. "What escape?" asked an ardent Surreyaplayer. "I was certainly out from the last ball sent! down, as it hit my pads and I was dead in front of my wicket," said Hayward.

ward. The umpire was appealed to, and he confirmed that Hayward was out.

Played in Dorset.

The next morning, before a ball was bowled, there was a loud appoint the first tee when the peal from the bowler who had delivered the last over the previous day for lbw against Hayward. The umpire replied "Out," and out Hayward had to go, because the laws of the game at that time stated that an appeal could be made before the next hall was bowled.

There was a match many years ago between the Gentlemen of Dorset and the Gentlemen of Devon. It was played on the summit of a at one and was J. N. Scobell.

The ground sloped away rapidly on each side of the pitch, and, Scokell made a tremendous leg hit! which sent the ball rolling down to that matters in life." the valley.

happening avers that ten fieldsmen! seized the ball, and as the batsmen dom are a rarity. were out of their ground, he threw it with all his force at the nearest wicket.

Weary Fielders.

Horror of horrors! The ball missed the wicket and went down *the opposite slope. The weary fielders toiled back from their first excursion only to start on a second and we are assured that before the ball was safely retrieved and in the wicket-keeper's hands, Scobell had added 37 runs to his total.

In September, 1875, Miles Brown, a publican, of Bishop Auckland, bet William Peirs, an auctioneer, that he could not bowl him out in twelve hours. Brown to find his own bat Japanese champion. and Peirs his own ball. The stakes were £20 to £10 on the bat. Brown went to the wickets with

a bat that completely covered the stumps, and gleefully dared his opponent to do his best or worst. Peirs was equal to the occasion. He used a ball similar to a bowls wood weighing 27oz., and in a few minutes he had so splintered the bat that he found a way to the wicket, and won his £20.

A hundred years ago this month there was an interesting game on Harefield Common, near Rickmans- have decided to abolish the racing ed a single wicket match against make a declaration to win with one two gentlemen of Middlesex.

against the farmer.

master's opponents could make race or not." runs even from big hits, and the match ended in a win for the farm- | years has had the annoying experier by an innings.

Grace Episode.

· casion went to a village to take in first. not scored when a ball got nearly stable companion Invershin. astraight up, and went off the shoulder of his bat into the hands of first slip.

shout of the bowler and the whole by a yard. of the field, and the answer was

rapped out promptly, "Not out." and when the umpire was asked tenm, promptly gave the batsman plied that it was no blunder. "Folks man were of no avail. He had to have come many miles to see him go. and he retired in angry mood. I had given him out."

the middle of the back by a ball left the field.—G. W. S. in "Sport- each year than of any other cough of the telephone.—Judge Craw-"that got up sharply from the pitch ing Life."

JESS SWEETSER.

LEAVING TOURNAMENT GOLF.

STRAIN TOO GREAT.

made for stumping against his became ill after, or rather during, betting which now go untaxed.

unattractive face to anyone not in betting. hold its own with any county in the best of condition and Sweetser England. In a game between is thought by his friends to feel that Cambs and Surrey, Hayward show- the winning of trophies does not ed great form, and from the last compensate for the nervous, mental ball of the day he was convinced and physical ordeal coincident with

The "Ted Rays."

Sweetser has a precedent if he cares to follow it. In 1926 Joyce Hayward was jubilant about his Wethered, former British champion, announced she would enter no more tournaments and has kept her word. Sweetser has made no such announcement. On the other hand he has informed J. Suffern Tailor at Newport that he will be on hand The sequel was unhappy for Hay- for the gold mashie invitation

tournament on August 5. He also has signified his intention of competing in the national amateur at Minneapolis, starting August 22. But whether he will be at the first tee when the cham-

At the open championship recently, Mary K. Browne, covering the event for the "United Press." commented as follows on tournament strain:

"As I watched the practice rounds of the stars of golf... and saw the expression of their anxious faces, I knew what they were suffering.

"One who hasn't been in these battles might say, 'But why so ridge in Dorset, and the batsman worried? It's only a game. They our ken, but unheard of in the of the Automobile Association, and ido not understand. The lives of amateur or professional revolves sporting little Moordale, Hunt. around the game. Golf is all writes Capt. J. Lucas, M.C.

TENNIS IN U.S.

TILDEN AGAIN WINS CLAY COURT TEST.

Detroit, Monday. National Clay Court Championship, defeating by three sets to nil the Indianapolitan Hennessey, who had

nessey and Williams, beat Tilden and Wiener 3-1.—Reuter.

NEW RACING RULE.

ALL HORSES TO RUN ON THEIR MERITS.

. The Stewards of the Jockey Club horse.

farmer should have an innings for ed provided that when an owner dance as if they love it. They himself and one for his four-footed with a double entry made a declara- do. ally, the latter also to field. The tion to win with one, the jockey From start to finish everything betting at the start was 5 to 1 riding the other was entitled to pull goes with a swing. Supper cheers up in favour of the declared horse up even the quietest, so that when The match duly ran its course, unless the latter fell away beaten, the band plays "John Peel" at the the allotted number of innings be- A new rule has been substituted end, and the hunting horns ring out

More than one owner in recent ence of declaring to win with one horse—a perfectly gratuitous, act for the guidance of the public-and The great W. G. Grace on one oc- seeing the stable companion come

trict. He batted first, and he had a trial marked superiority over its the club treasurer.

"How's that?" was the gleeful and would have missed the wicket

An over-keen wicketkeeper appealed, and the village umpire, who Grace went on to score a hundred, was a twelfth man for the home why he made such a blunder he re- out. The protestations of the bats-

bat," he said, "and they wouldn't When he went to the wickets for a have seen what they came for if second time later in the day he had had given him out." ample revenge. Amid roars of My concluding anecdote relates laughter he strode defiantly to the to a match played in a Northamp- wickets with a leg-guard strapped tonshire village. A batsman was to his back, and this so put the and use of this proparation, until unfortunate enough to be struck in umpire out of countenance, that he there are now more bottles of it sold

SHOULD THEY BE LEGALISED?

READY-MONEY BETS.

M.P.s' PRESSURE AT HOME.

A strong body of M.P.s. is to By completing his negotiations for in revenue is lost to the State.

What sacrilege! Can there be golf tournaments come and go the mittee on the proposals of the Fin- vendors of the seventeen halls were humour in such a noble game as belief becomes prevalent that Jess ance Bill in the House of Commons, the London Theatres of Varieties, of cricket? There is a lot of it, and Sweetser, only American player to the repeal of all betting which Mr. Charles Gulliver is manspecially in country cricket.

Who has not heard the story of amateur championships, has abanWho has not heard the story of doned tournament colf for all time.

Who has not heard the story of doned tournament colf for all time. the umpire in a country house doned tournament golf for all time. withdrawing the present tax, efforts Empire in the afternoon it was de-Sweetser, one of the most popu- should be made to collect revenue cided to accept the offer. ing, and a confident appeal was lar golfers who ever swung a club, on the vast sums waged in cash At the conclusion of the meeting

> year and retired from the links upon determined to make full use of him in buying the theatres. He his return to the United States. He their opportunity. They will urge added, "It is my intention to let the wintered in the South, hoping to re- that steps should be taken to place theatres." The theatres included ready-money betting-by far. the in the "deal" were:-But the strain of championship greater part of present-day wagergolf is so great that it presents an ing-on an equality with credit

> > 80 Per Cent. Ready Money. Sir Walter Gilbey, an authority with half a century's experience of racing, estimates that at least 80 per cent, of present-day betting is done in the street. Large bookmakers are meeting with a constant desire, even among wealthy backers, to limit their bets to their financial circumstances by making ready-money wagers.

Many Conservative M.P.'s. hold that Lord Newton's Bill to legalise cash betting would not only result! in a very large increase in the revenue from betting but would also enable the police to regulate if These members will ask the Government to give facilities for bringing Lord Newton's Bill before the Mr. Abrahams began his business

House of Commons. At present the Bill is shelved, but tisers on theatre programmes and so strong is the support which it drop curtains, . Afterwards he has received that it is probable that founded . the Borough Billposting it will be brought forward again Company, which he sold fo before the end of the year.

A HUNT BALL.

FUN IN THE PROVINCES.

Melton Assembly rooms are beyond cessively secretary and treasurer shires though we be, no pack can was later the first secretary of the every one of these golfers, be he boast keener followers than the Variety Artistes' Ecderation.

The catering is done by a re-Bobby Jones in his "memoirs" tired butler, and very well he does The veracious chronicler of the spoke of losing weight in tourna; it, too: Willing helpers are easily ment golf and one usually thinks found, and the waiters are all local went in pursuit, only the wicket- of the Atlantan as phlegmatic. -the tyler from the lodge, a workkeeper remaining in his usual place, The truth is that few golfers can ing tailor, and an old groom, exand when the ball was eventually stand a continuous round of com- Service men, some of all sorts, returned the keeper made a dash, petition. The Ted Rays of golf- some good-some not quite so

If one of them does sample the temptation.

but the local substitute, the Blue Lagoon, does very well, and provided the musicians get a little pay and are reasonably treated in the way of refreshment Tilden won his sixth consecutive they are quite willing to go home with the milk.

At a hunt ball in the shires at least half the people are strangers, the Manhattan Congregational house party, including Sir Gerald previously eliminated Ohia, the and many have never seen a hound Church, situated in Broadway and and Lady du Maurier, at the house at all. But here nearly all follow 76th Street, is to begin immediate- of a man who was known all over In the final of the doubles Hen- the Moordale or some neighbour- ly. By April next it will be re- the country.

While the older men are in pink cupied as flats by families accepfew of the young ones seem to be, table to the trustees. get all the partners they want. about. A healthy country life tain a gymnasium, social and ban- rumour of that sort it would gives a clearness to the eye and queting halls, and office quarters. a bloom to the skin that the dance | The trustees declare that they inclub devotee must seek in vain. The tend to let the flats above the worth. A farmer named Trumper, rule by which an owner running youngsters Charleston as well as church to people of moderate means were: with the helprof his sheep dog, play- two or more horses in one race may they ride, and what greater praise who are in accord with the high could they desire? That bored ex- principles for which the church pression, fashionable elsewhere, stands, the shops with the to tenants who agree to keep them The conditions were that the The rule which has been abolish has not penetrated here, and they

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DANCING "DEBS." MUSIC-HALL DEAL.

MR. A. E. ABRAHAMS AND MR. C. GULLIVER.

A MILLION INVOLVED.

urge the Government to consider buying 17 London music-halls at a velling at the amazing energy of the question of legalising readyprice just under £1,000,000, Mr. a set of young girls in London, demoney betting and thereby end the
A. E. Abrahams, who founded a butantes of the last two years. anomalous condition of the existing bill-posting company with one man Their ages range from 18 to 20. law under witch millions of pounds and a hand-cart, became the largest individual proprietor of places of Mrs. Benjamin Guinness and As the summer advances and During the discussions in com- amusement in the country.

Mr. Abrahams told a reporter that lordly employer? "Not out, but the British amateur classic last Members who hold this view are Mr. Gulliver was associated with

Lewisham Hippodrome. Croydon Hippodrome. Croydon Empire. Hord Hippodrome, Rotherhithe Hippodrome. Camberwell Palace. Camberwell Empire. Woolwich Hippodrome. Kilborn Empire. Grand, Clapham. Willesden Hippodrome. Islington Empire, Hammersmith Palace. Collins's Music-hall. Putney Hippodrome. Poplar Hippodreme. Shoreditch Olympia.

The completion of the purchase is to be made on September 3.

Two Romantic Careers. Now the owner of 35 theatres. career by selling space to adve. £250,000, investing the money theatres. He bought the Aldwych Theatre, the New Oxford (which he resold to Messrs. J. Lyons and Co. Ltd.), and the Scala, and secured long lease of the Garrick Theatre and the London Pavilion.

Mr. Gulliver's career is equally romantic. He started life as a boy The Harborough ball and the in a solicitor's office, became suc-

SKYSCRAPER CHURCH.

FLATS ON UPPER FLOORS.

New York. With the double object of bringchampagne a little freely, just to ing the home into the church and see it isn't corked-well, better making the church sef-supporting, libel was contained in the Issue of men than he have yielded to the trustees of the Manhattan Congregational Church have decided ber 7, 1926. Miss Cooper had We cannot afford a London band, to demolish it and erect in its brought her action because she stead a 23-storey skyscraper cost- felt it was a growing habit among ing £400,000.

value of New York realty in the paragraphs about members of the past few years has brought im- theatrical profession which would and the trustees of three of these in about other people. churches are now planning sky-the time of the publication Miss scraper homes. The demolition of Cooper had been staying with a ing pack, and eight out of ten are placed by an immense structure the upper floors of which will be oc-

for pink coats cost money; but Altogether these flats embrace pink coat or black, new frock or 600 rooms and 400 bathrooms. The old, if Jack and his sister ride ground floor will serve as the straight across country they will church auditorium and the frontage on the street will be rented or man among the guests had tried And there is no lack of beauty as shops. The building will con-

Lincolnshire Girl Guides in -ing played, but so quick was, the which states, "Every horse in a from the balcony, you whoop and camp, in the grounds of Holton dog in retrieving the ball that it race shall be on its merits whe hollon with the rest, and go to bed Hall, about a dozen miles from was with the utmost difficulty its ther his owner runs another in the quite convinced that no pack can Grimsby, rendered valuable assistcompare with the Moordale Hunt. | ance at a fire there. The mansion stands in a park of 100 acres, and foundation for that at all, said Sir try.-Rev. Dr. Herbert Gray. is occupied by the Rev. Thomas Patrick. The position now was George Dixon, who is lord of the that Miss Cooper did not desire to manor. The fire broke out in the make any money out of it and a roof. Fortunately Holton Hall is satisfactory arrangement had been U.S.A., has just paid admittance an exception to most houses in the made as to the costs of the action. for a game of cricket he saw 48 heart of the country, for it has a It was not fair that observations part in a match, and his fame had In the Derby Cup last November or 50 years ago at Bingley, Yorks, supply of water from wolds two in execrable taste should be made brought together an immense con- Mr. Reid Walker declared to win when he gained admission by tell- or three miles away, and there are just because a woman happened to course of people from a wide dis- with Innuendo, which had shown in ing the gateman he was the son of hydrants fixed on the lawn. The be a member of the theatrical progardener from a long ladder play- fession, and it was to be hoped that In a letter to the Bingley Cricket ed a hose on the flames.

So far as I know that was the and while some carried buckets of ten about her. only outright, downright, de- water from a pond to the hall, - Sir Ellis Hume-Williams K.C., While others helped the house servants for the defendants, said the last the memory of the lie, in a way to remove the furniture to the thing his clients would have coninnocently told, has not troubled lawns. When the Grimsby Fire templated was to say anything in my conscience much. I have for Brigade arrived the fire had been the least derogatory of a lady who

> agriculture in England.—Com- inter mander Kenworthy, M.P. So far as my courts are conappear to recognise the existence

ON FEET SIX HOURS A

DIE-HARD GIRLS.

Those who know them are mar-Mrs. Zita Jungman, a niece of popular member of the young set, ber, of Adelaide Road, Shepherd's described to a reporter what a Bush, W. packed life they live in London They had been in Damascus,

They dance from 11 p.m. to trick-cyclists, and their amazing supper,

up at 9 o'clock. This lack of led to their ultimate escape from sleep, however, does not seem to Syria, where a persistent Arab affect their vitality—the Die Prince lover wanted them to join Hards, as they are called, are his harem. rarely ill.

cinemas, or go to the noor quarters of London with food. Ten is a very minor affair now, there hold with it at any other time of the day.

After tea comes the telephone period, when they ring each for each other in motor-cars and go to dinner, and perhaps a theatre or a drive before going in the country resting.

But they become a little tired when the end of the season artry homes.

MISS GLADYS COOPER.

LIBEL SUIT ABOUT A . RUMOUR.

NOT ENGAGED.

A libel action brought by Mrs. Gladys Constance Buckmaster (professionally known as Miss (Gladys Cooper) against the London Express Newspaper, Ltd., and Mr. James Douglas, Editor of the "Sunday Express," was settled in the King's Bench Division. Sir Patrick Hastings, K.C., for

Miss Cooper, explained that the the "Sunday Express" of Novemsome people who wrote on theatri The phenomenal increase in the cal matters to put in a newspaper mense wealth to many churches, not be thought proper to put

> For some reason a very widespread rumour got abroad that the host and Miss Cooper were engaged to be married. There was not a word of truth in that statement, which was extremely annoying to both parties. If any woman to make public capital out of a obviously be the grossest had taste.

Rumour and a Title. The actual words complained of

It is just 20 years ago that Gladys Cooper was a chorus girl at the Gaiety Theatre. Now idle rumour has been coupling her name with one of the bestthe rumour by a man I know Captain Ian Fraser, M.P. Miss Cooper was very humorous. "The next time you want to marry me to somebody," she said, "I wish you would choose someone respectable."

in future Miss Cooper would not The Girl Guides were mustered, have that sort of paragraph writ-

held such a position as Miss Cooper did in the theatrical profession. The most ominous sign of They regretted very much that they natonal decay is the decline of had said anything capable of misinterpretation or misunderstand-

I believe that certain of Shakemore than all else to increase the sale cerned the authorities do not tion, and cast with young players, are better money-carners than American musical comedies .--C. B. Cochran.

SHEIK'S HAREM.

HOW LONDON GIRLS ESCAPED.

AMBUSHED BY ARABS.

Two eighteen-year-old London girls have arrived back in England after a series of adventures which make the most thrilling desert novel seem tame in comparison.

They are Miss Irene Queenie Speller, of Portland Road, Holland a Park, W., and Miss Winnie Com-

Palestine, with a circus troupe of 4 or 5 in the morning almost adventures have their setting in every day, stopping only for the desert around the town of Damascus and on the road from Some of them stay in bed until that town to the sea at Beyrout. nearly midday, but many parents In a special interview the girls insist on their daughters getting related some of the events which

"We first met the Prince," said Nearly all of them keep diaries Miss Speller, "at a theatre show. and, when they get up, their first He came in dressed in gorgeous task is to record the conversa- robes of cloth of gold. He had tions of the previous night. jewellery all over him, and in his girdle there was a magnificent pistol and a dagger which glisten-

ed with wonderful precious stones. "We were told that he was the is no dancing. So much dancing 21-year-old son of the great and powerful Emir · Shaalan, famous Bendouin leader who assisted Colonel Lawrence in his campaign against the Turks, and that he had under him an army of other up and make arrangements 10,000 Arabs. He also had fifty wives, "

Encamped At An Oasis.

"When eventually he asked to on to the dance. Despite this be introduced to myself and Miss seemingly hectic life, the young Comber, I was not surprised, but if girl in society to-day is much I had known that introduction healthier than girls have ever was to have led to our exciting adbeen. She swims whenever she ventures and our ultimate flight can, and week-ends she spends from Syria, I would have shunned him like the plague,

"After that meeting he invited Miss Comber and myself to his rives in the middle of July, and encampment some ten miles dismany of them are glad to get tant at an oasis. I rode out with T.T. on London 1/11% away to Scotland or their coun- him in a cavaleade consisting of T.T. on Shanghai \$781/4" more than 100 Arab horsemen. with the Prince at their head.

found something much more Mercantile A. & B. ... £32 gorgeous than anything I had everimagined. The tents of the Arab P. & O. Bank £9% soldiers were grouped around that East Asia \$68 of their chief.

his 'Desert Rose' and his 'Queen Yangtze Insurance ... \$33 b \$35 s B of Damascus. "He pictured to me," went on China Fire Issurance \$210 Miss Speller, "the luxurious life H.K. Fire Insurance .. \$600 I should lead as queen of his

harem, but I thought little of his Douglases \$32 remarks until afterwards. "Later the troupe with which I H.K. Tugs & Lighters 1.10 was left Damascus, and I thought Indo-Chinas (Pref) ... \$30 had seen the last of my Bedouin Shell Transports 98/-Sheik. But, no-he followed me on Star Ferrics \$52 and when, day after day, he Water-boats \$16%

shadowed me, I thought it was time to go to the British Consul. "The Consul, after hearing my Malabon Sugars \$32 story and learned that the Prince had vowed that he would take me back to the desert, decided that it would be better if I left the coun-

"My first attempt to leave with Shanghai Loans T6% my friend, Miss Comber, was frus- Raubs T4 trated. "At night time we started off

again with an escort of French officers and men. On the way we H.K. & K. Wharves .. \$100 were called upon to halt by the H.K. & W. Docks Prince's soldiers, but we dashed on, Hongkews T147 and although a volley of shots was New Engineerings ... To fired at us, we escaped.

"On board the steamer, at Port Lands, Hotels & Bidgs. Said. we felt we were safe, but there the most amazing thing of all occurred. We had just got clear of the quay when the captain of the Humphreys Estates .. \$12% ship told us that the Prince had pursued us in an aeroplane, and Rural Lands \$1% that he had landed at Port Said only a few minutes too late to in- Ewo Cottons T7.35

The two girls are now back with their parents in London.

We only want now the develop- Peak Trams (old) \$15 known titles, in the land and ment of television and the cane stating that she has been invited to make it possible for wireless Singapore Tractions .. 10/9 to wear it. When asked about to supersede the school.-

Considering housing conditions, it is nothing less than a miracle that we have not had more There was not a shadow of militant Bolshevism in this coun-

LONDON EXCHANGES.

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l	Brussels 34.931/8
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,	Stockholm 18.171/2
1	Oslo 18.80
ı	Vienna 34.50
I	Prague
1	Helsingfors 192.70
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	Athens 371
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	Rio 5 27/82
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YESTERDAY SHARE MARKET.

Hong Kong Stock. Exchange. Banks. Hongkong Bank \$1060 "But in the Prince's camp itself Chartered Bank £20 Lon. Reg. . . \$115 Marine Insurances. "For over an hour I sat there Canton Insurance \$620 while the Prince made love to me China Underwriters .. 80 cts. while the Prince made love to me North China Insurance T143 in Oriental manner. He called me Union Insurance \$2781/2 Fire Insurances. H.K. Steamboots \$22

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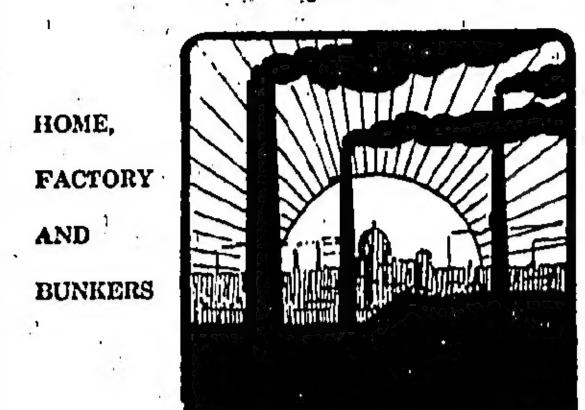
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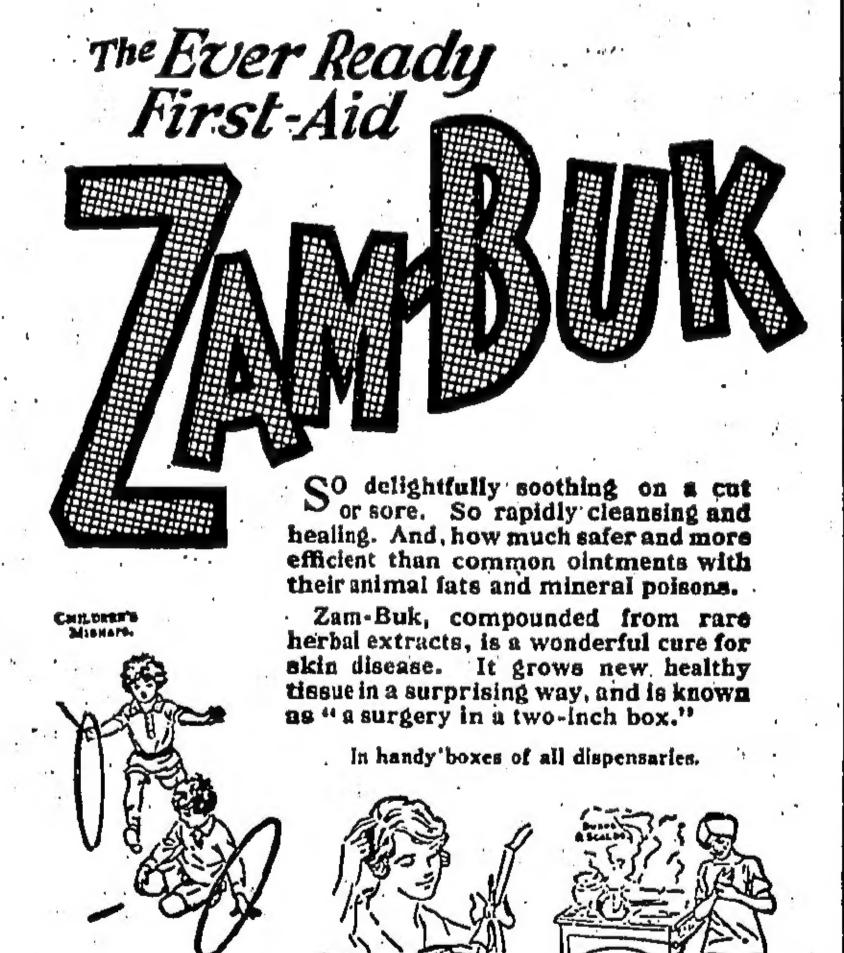
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RADIO TOPICS

RADIO TELEPATHY.

INSTANCE OF 'DELAYED' IMPRESSION.

The recent radio telepathy tests carried out by Dr. V. J. Woolley, hon. secretary of the Society of Psychical Research, with the help of Sir Oliver Lodge, are discussed in the current "Radio Times," which states that 25,320 replies were received from all over the British Isles, the Continent and headcasting licence and in respect to the company's application for a less station in Turkey, that of the company's application for a less station in Turkey, that of the constant of the company's application for a less station in Turkey, that of the constant of the company's application for a less station in Turkey, that of the constant of the constant of the company's application for a less station in Turkey, that of the constant of carried out by Dr. V. J. Woolley,

Dr. Woolley, referring to the of 1926. represented a skull in a garden. Secretary and from the Secretary to East. The control of wireless tele-Two others described it as a pic- the Malayan Wireless Committee. graphy in Turkey is in the hands of ture of a skeleton.

have shown us that when a series ment had only recently written stat- d'Affaires are interested. Any one of objects is used there may be a ing that the application was under can purcasse a licence by paying tendency for the impression of a consideration, although the noti- £114 (30s.), and a heavy fine is imgiven object to be delayed. . . . In fication, of the acceptance of the posed on persons who listen withview of this it seems of interest to wireless committee's proposals, was out possessing a licence. The note that 'No. 3, an object,' was published last September. He men- daily programme broadcast by the given by no less than 687 listeners lioned that at the conference held company is divided into two parts; as a skull and by 41 as a skeleton, on May 20 at the Singapore Post | the first begins at 5 p.m. and conwhile No. 5 was given by 148 as Office, the company's solicitor was tinues until 7; the second is from a skull and by 46 as a skeleton.

FEWER B.B.C. STATIONS.

LORD GAINFORD ON FUTURE OF RADIO.

broadcasting said it was impossi- sent on that date, May 20. ble to increase the size of the broadcast wave-band in view of the just requirements of other essential departments, the Army, War Office, munity resident in Singapore, lian Agency gives out a summary vices. The only alternative was to Johore were shown to be members from the Yildiz Casino is a regular adopted in the near future.

working on the broadcast wave- ed capital of not less than \$500,000. European capitals, and unless atband, excluding Daventry. Their The company would be a public mospheric conditions are usually proposals were to decrease the num- company and shares would be issu- bad, Moscow, Berlin, Vienna, Paris her of British transmitters using ed for public subscription at \$1 and Rome can be heard with great the broadcast waveband, for which each. exclusive wavelengths would be With reference to the announce- Owing to the lack of railway and

international agreement. mum of two contrasted programmes son said that these gentlemen were kind of musical and other entertaincapable of reception on the cheap- all residents of Taiping, Perak, and ment has been denied them, and the est and simplest apparatus. In they had recently formed a public only occasions on which their in Pasha himself has done all he can referring to what is known as the pany.

regional scheme. "Under this scheme," the official said; "the whole country will ultimately be served by five, six or seven high-power stations using ten or more wavelengths, so that it for a broadcasting licence for will be possible for each station to send out two programmes on different wavelengths. In that way we Malaya Broadcasting Co., Ltd., to installed them, complète with loud shall get the alternative programmes at which was are aiming.'

RADIO DISTURBANCES.

Readers who are troubled by disturbances caused in their radio reception by local electric motors agreed that the directors should which wireless may bring to them. will be glad to hear how the pro- take steps to carry out the recom- Here and there one comes across a blem was solved by a Brighton mendations contained in the chair- fanatic who thinks that wireless is reader. He writes:-

motors are in constant use. This, for a broadcasting licence was laid been foremost in popularizing the added to a near-by electric sign on the table. caused so much interference that my radio reception was entirely wiped out. No matter how I altered the direction of the aerial, the earth system, screened coils, &c., they made not the slightest difference. As a last resource, I experi-Mullard P.M.3, which seems to have avoid bureaucracy. to a well-known British valve."

RADIO IN MALAYA. WIRELESS IN TURKEY

NEGOTIATIONS FOR GOVERN-MENT LICENCE.

America, and at least one from Aus- broadcasting licence and in respect Osmanié, 16 miles outside Constantantalia.

He wints out that "Previous at- it was over four years since the first Post Office, the official Anatolian tempts at experimental telepathy application was made, but Govern- News Agency, and the Banque also present.

> asked as to the proposal to form the Oriental and Occidental music British Malaya Broadcasting Co., played by an orchestra which would acquire the rights and posed of men and women. Darul interests of the Malaya Broadcast- Talim, another Turkish orchestra, ing Co., Ltd., and all questions put plays Oriental music. to the company's representatives were duly answered.

Lord Gainford, chairman of the numbering just under 50, was Piano and violin solos by local British Broadcasting Corporation, handed to the members of the artists are also given, and there is speaking at Truro of the future of Malayan Wireless Committee pre- a movement on foot to start a

. Formation of Public Company.

Air and commercial and marine ser- Penang, Taiping, Malacca and of the day's news. The juzz band reduce the number of broadcasting of the company and it was stated and popular feature, and the prices stations in Europe from 170 to 100, that members of the parent com- of the Stambul Cereals Market are He hoped such a change would be pany would undertake the forma- eagerly awaited by merchants in tion of the British Malaya Broad- the interior of Anatolia. After 10 There were 19 stations in Britain easting Co., Ltd., with an authoris- p.m. it is the turn of the principal

Recommendations Adopted.

In view of the correspondence with Government, and the present negotiations with the Government Malaya Mr. Powell Robinson said hotels, restaurants, cafes, chemists, that it was necessary for the barbers' shops, and the like have take steps to form the British speakers, with the result that these Malaya Broadcasting Co., Ltd., to establishments are crowded every establish broadcasting stations in night. The Anatolian, peasantry Malaya and if this meeting approv- are indeed said to be exceedingly ed, an extraordinary general meet- impressed by the possibilities of ing of the company would be call- wireless. Many of the peasants are ed to pass a special resolution to unable to read or write, but they

that effect. After some discussion it was clate the material advantages man's report, at an early date.

"I am situated only a few yards Aitken and Ong Siang and the Gov- is going the round of Constantinofrom a large garage where electric ernment relating to the application ple. One of the Deputies, who has

B.B.C. AND CRITICISM.

mented with different makes of man of the B.B.C., speaking at a installation, rendering it necessary valves in the detection stage, but broadcasting dinner given by the for the Deputy to take steps never without any appreciable change, Forum Club, said it was impossible to leave his set unguarded. until I discovered what may be to satisfy all tastes, but the B.B.C. The Turkish wireless company is described as the finest and most welcomed intelligent criticism. A now engaged in experimenting with sensitive detecting valve I believe body of the size of the corporation the broadcasting of speeches, as has ever been made. This was a must be organised, but they tried to the Government have realised what

NOT AT ALLT.

INCREASING POPULARITY.

LICENCE BEING CONSIDERED. The popularity of wireless in Turkey is extraordinary. A year

transmits, and has a wavelength Dr. Woolley, referring to the second subject, a Japanese print of a human skull resting on grass with two birds, reports that only four two birds, reports that only four people described the picture as a people described the picture as a picture of a skull, one of whom additional picture of a skull, one of whom additional plies from the acting Colonial be the most powerful in the Near special proposested as skull in a reader of 1,200 metres; its call is "Radio Stambul." On June 15, however, a new station, which has cost over the first answer and it is said that this station will be the most powerful in the Near special proposested as skull in a reader of 1,200 metres; its call is "Radio Stambul." On June 15, however, a new station, which has cost over and it is said that this station will be the most powerful in the Near special proposested as a proposested as skull in a reader of 1,200 metres; its call is "Radio Stambul." On June 15, however, a new station, which has cost over and it is said that this station will be opened at Angora, and it is said that this station will be opened at Angora, and it is said that the new powerful in the Near special proposested as a proposested as a proposested proposested as a proposested .The Chairman pointed out that a limited company in which the 8.30 to 10.30. Daru-el-han, the On that occasion questions were Turkish Conservatoire, provides The first item usually consist of

Turkish music followed by Ana-A list of the members of the tolian melodies composed by Rashid Malaya Broadcasting Co., Ltd., Jemal and other Turkish musicians. Turkish musical broadcasting society. Western European classical music invariably finds a place Leading members of the com- in the programme, while the Anatodistinctness.

granted to Britain, in an equitable ments in the Press inviting sub- road communications in Anatolia, scriptions by a provisional board of many of the smaller towns and vil- speech will be unintelligible to the The objective was to bring to directors of the Malaya Broadcast- lages have hitherto been virtually vast majority of Europeans, but the every listener the choice of a mini- ing Service Ltd., Mr. Powell Robin- isolated from the outside world. All various Turkish Embassics and addition that would be the long- company, with objects stated in the habitants were able to hear concerts to encourage the development wave station at Daventry, giving a prospectus, but had not obtained were when they came to Constan- wireless in Turkey, and he would total of ten transmitters altogether, a broadcasting licence from the tinople. Now this is all changed, appear to have been quite as suc-It was explained by an official of Government, which was the first Far away spots like Erzerum and cessful as he has been in other and the B.B.C. that Lord Gainford was essential for a broadcasting com- Diarbekir, not to mention smaller similar "modernizing" schemes .-places. in Eastern Turkey, find "The Times," London. themselves linked up, by means of the wireless, with Constantinople and with Europe.

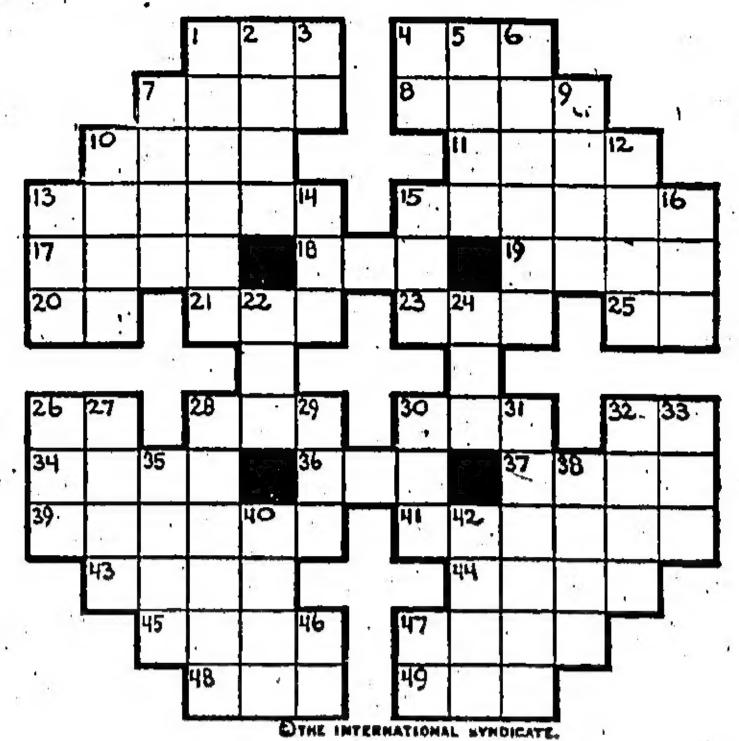
Because of their somewhat prohibitive cost, wireless sets are not yet within the reach of all, but have an ear for music and apprean invention of the devil, and in The correspondence between this connection an amusing story wireless, has a cook who refuses to believe that the sounds emanating

from the wireless set come from the outside world. He persists in believing that there is some hidden spirit inside the box, and so obsessed is he with this idea that he has The Earl of Clarendon, chair- threatened to break up the whole

a useful ally wireless can be to an uncanny ability to receive only Mrs. Philip Snowden said the them during the coming elections. those signals that are required. At B.B.C. had adopted as, its motto, The first occasion on which a any time of the day now I can re- "Nation shall speak peace unto speech will be broadcast will be toceive excellent and perfectly clear nation." Broadcasting gave hun- wards the end of June when the results due to this simple change gry souls that which they most Kemalist Party is holding its Congress in Angora. The Ghazi Pasha

DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL 1-A watering-place 4-Autern 7-8ong for two performers 8-Cabbage salad 10-To scorch 11-Up above 13-Armadae 15-Spare tires 17-To become dull 15-S. cen. State (abbr.) 19-Discharge 20-You ·

21-Nevertheless 23-Auditory organ 25-"The Empire State" (abbr.) 26-Exclamation 28-To Intimidate 30-Carrine 32-Concerning

HORIZONTAL (Cont.) 84-A gambling pame 30-A boam of light 37-Mature 39-Playful 41-Exultant 43-Otherwise 44-Part of a stove 45-Loaned 47-Verse 48-Also 49-A country hotel

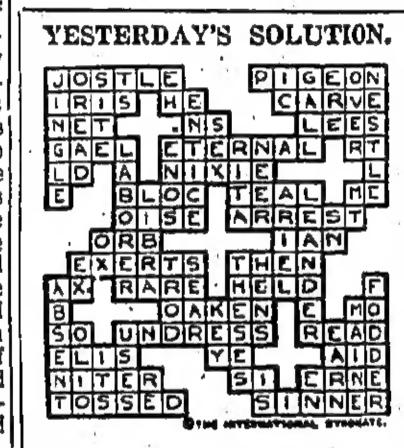
VERTICAL 1-A piedge 2-Closely confined 3-During 4-While B-Product of Ireland 6-A shred 7-Obligations 9-The early bird's breakfast

VERTICAL (Cont.) 12-Suffering 18-To cook in grease 14-Rested 15-To piece out 16-A pig-pen 24-Past .time 25-Away 27-A rabbit 28-A pet lamb 29-Crooked 30-Tinge 31-Carved 32-Unclosed 83-Ata 85-A brooklet 38-Newspaper paragraph 40-A game of chance 42-A bird

46-Toward 47-3.1416 10-Depressed SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES Start out by filling in the words of which you feel ressonably sure . These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear, in to-morrow's issue along with a new cross-word puzzle.)

will then deliver a long and important speech in which he will review the progress of Turkey since the revolution in 1922. Arrangements are being made to broadcast his speech throughout Turkey and also in Europe. As the President of the Republic will speak in Turkish, his Legations abroad hope to be able to listen to their chief. The Ghazi



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THE WAY THE WORLD WAGS.

Antigua Farthing. An Antigua farthing of 1836, in the collection of American coins formed by the late Mr. Richard F. Peltzer, now being dispersed at Glendenning's sold for

Mayoress of Northampton, was town to wear such a distinction.

"Sunny" ends its run at the Hippodrome, W.C., on July 16. week in wage to 4,150 workand it will be followed on July 25 people employed by the Metro-by "Shake Your Feet," a new politan Water Board. revue with five grand pianos as orchestra.

Cheaper Gas. Following other companies, the South Suburban Gas Company will reduce the price of gas by a penny per therm (5d. per 1,000 cubic feet) from the midsummer reading of the meters.

For a collection of old French snuff-boxes and objects of vertu belonging to the late Sir Edward Marshal-Hall, K.C., £3,267 1s. 6d. was paid at Messrs. Christie's.

A collection of boxes, trays, fans, and other articles in French and English pique on tortoiseshell, and ivory, of the 17th and 18th centuries, realised £1,558 at Messrs. Sotheby's.

be of Empire origin, Lambeth guardians have decided that in all future tenders for fruit a clause should be inserted giving particulars as to the country of its origin.

"Real Sporting." "You have been real sporting, said Judge Turner at Nottingham County Court, shaking hands with Samuel Amery, of Radcliffeon-Trent, who was awarded £21 in an assault action, but as the defendant was an ex-Service man,

ments.

Experiments in communication wireless telephony between a fire engine and brigade headquarters conducted by Fireman . W. Shaw, of Rochdale, are meeting with success.

An exhibition at the British Museum of the antiquities discovered by Dr. Woolley during excavations at Ur of the Chaldees is open to the public.

VERSES TO DIVORCED WIFE.

bone were present.

dedicated to her.

Mr. Eric Seabrook Pinker, liter-

ANOTHER MISSED CATCH.

but the terrier has now recovered

was the size of an Alsatian! Bless

my whiskers, you never saw such

a fish-believe me, if the thing was

an inch it was three times the

DEEP-SEA SOUNDINGS.

There is a touch of irony in the

victims of her namesake rest, says

After leaving the Dutch East

Indies she got the deepest water

ever yet plumbed, touching bottom

at 33,795 feet. It has long been

known that the deepest water in

the world is in this region, where

the thinness of the earth's crust

combined with terrific weight of

ITS QUALITY

THAT COUNTS

water results in so many earth-

the end of my nose!"

"Truth."

quakes.

Windsor Castle will be open to has drifted from the Canadian the public on Saturday and coast to the Clyde, a distance of every week-day except Friday over 2,000 miles. from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. until further notice.

More than £12,318 has, been the maddened

The Industrial Court have granted an increase of 1s. 6d. per

Mr. Hippolyte Montplaisir, a Canadian senator, who received his senatorship from Canada's first Prime Minister, Sir John Macdonald, has died at Three Rivers, Quebec, at the age of 88.

Adelphi Estate. Adelphi estate, Strand, W.C., was offered for sale by auction at the London Auction Mart, E.C., but it is understood several private offers have been made.

A schoolboy named Harold Robert Smith, of the Bungalow, White House Avenue, Boreham Woods, Hertfordshire, fell under one of the wheels of his brother's lorry and was killed.

Mr. Samuel St. Barbe Emmott. To ensure that supplies shall | formerly manager of the Portsmouth branch of Lloyds Bank, who three years ago fractured his thigh through a fall, when the limb was amputated, has died.

> shire) Trustee Savings Bank Fairfax House, have due to them £253,326, ac- Road, Blackheath, two of the cording to a statement at the guests fell in the lake and were quarterly meeting, or nearly £50 saved by the gardener, a man. per head of the population of named Powell.

A petition organised by the Automobile Association to prooffered to accept £10 in instaltest against the diversion of the Road Fund and to urge the maintenance of an efficient Roads Department will be presented in the House of Commons.

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It seems generally accepted in ary agent, of Messrs. J. B. Pinker legal circles that Lord Justice son, aged 20, marrying, was sumand Son, Strand; London, and Mrs. Bankes will be seen no more at moned by the son at the Mary-Mabel Morrison Bennett, the the Law Courts after this term, lebone Police-court, under the former wife of Mr. Richard Ben- and that, following the custom of Guardianship of Infants Act. nett, and actor, were married re- late years, the announcement of cently. Mr. and Mrs. Basil Rath- his resignation together with the Southampton Road, Hampstead and names chosen to fill the consequent his son, Harry, said he was living Since her divorce from Mr. vacancies on the bench, will be at Vorley Road, Highgate, and was Bennett in 1925, Mrs. Pinker, who made in October, on the eve of the carning £3 25. 6d. a week. He was was known on the stage as Michaelmas sittings. Vacancies engaged to be married, but his

"Adrienne Morrison," has been will result because it is probable father, objected on the ground manager of Messrs. Pinker's New that the new Lord Justice of that he did not want to be respon-York office. The Bennetts had Appeal, who in any case must come sible for him. He had prepared a been married 20 years when she from the common law side, will be home for the girl, and, when they obtained an uncontested divorce, taken from among the judges of were married, she was going to her husband insisting that he still the King's Bench Division. It is help him to maintain the home by loved her. Since then he has spent eight years since a King's Bench going out to work as a cook. much of his time in writing verses judge has been promoted—rather The father said he understood a long period. Such an appoint- that if he gave his consent to the ment will leave a vacancy in the marriage he was responsible, not

The post of Senior Lord Justice | The magistrate said that if a A terrier which jumped into the and president of the Second Court young man of 20 married his parriver at Enfield after a rat is re- of Appeal will, on Sir John ents had no responsibility towards ported to have been seized by two Bankes's retirement, fall to Lord him. "Your son," he said, "seems pike, one of which was almost Justice Scrutton, who is one year an intelligent young fellow, and he dragged ashore before it would re- his junior as a Lord Justice and is anxious to marry."

a trying experience for the dog- years. Sir John Bankes was 73 last a very domineering nature. and is going round saying to all April and his judicial service The magistrate remarked that its canine friends, "I tell you, my (King's Bench and Court of Ap- the father might be a very good dear fellow, the one that got away peal) will have lasted 17 years.

WHEN YOUR LITTLE ONE CANNOT EAT.

length from the tip of my tail to The normal, growing child is I lways ready to eat, and any Court at Edinburgh the Principal, disinclination for food must be set Sir Alfred Ewing, read a letter down to ill-health. Ninety-nine from Mr. Thomas Cowan, shiptimes out of one hundred that ill- owner, of Leith, making a gift of health is merely a temporary indisposition, some slight derangefact that the new German cruiser ment of digestion, or of the in-"Emden" has been sounding the testines, or of both. sea-bed upon which so many of the

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State Apartments.

The State apartments at Cas Buoy.

Lost for two years, a gas buoy

Spectators at a Glasgow fire, in which 26 horses perished, saw received as a result of the Boy manes and tails burning when presented with a chain of loffice, Scouts' London Appeal for £150,- trapped on the first floor by the being the first mayoress of the 000.

> Fourteen gold coins in a flint receptacle found at Westerham. Kent, are believed to be pre-Roman, probably minted in Gaul and brought to Britain for trading purposes.

"I liked the girl and her baby, and I pitied her for the way she had been left," said Sidney Reynolds, 25, who was charged with aiding and abetting Elizabeth Tamplin, 23, both of Lam-No bid was made when the beth, to commit bigamy. Both were sent for trial.

Wage Increase.

Fifteen unions comprising the London Ship-repairing Joint Trades Committee have applied for a wage increase of 10s, per week for all workers engaged in Thames ship-repairing yards.

The £500,000 fund which is being raised in connection with the Centenary of University College, London, now totals £177,440, which includes about 43,000 contributed by past and present students.

At a Conservative women's Depositors in Driffield (York- garden party in the grounds of Beaconsfield

> The coal output from the mines of Great Britain for the week ended June 11 (Whitweek) was 3,177,800 tons compared with 5,102,900 tons in the previous week, the number of wage earners being 1,018,200 against 1,022,500 in the previous week.

Mr. Arthur Macey, a London shipping clerk, plunged in to the rescue of a woman visitor, Miss A. Lineham, 23, who got into difficulties while bathing at Margate, and kept her afloat until both were pulled out with ropes. .

FATHER AND SON'S MARRIAGE.

A father who objected to his

The father was Harry Rands, of

lower division which will have to only for his son, but for his daugh-

lease its grip. It must have been two and a quarter his junior in The Father: Yes, but I can foresee trouble. They are both of

prophet, but he saw no reason for his objection to the marriage, and he should give his consent.

At a meeting of the University

SHIPOWNER'S GENEROSITY.

£40,000 as an endowment fund to assist the scheme for the establishment of a residential house for male students attending Edinburgh University, with which his name is being associated. Mr. Cowan trusted that this free income would relieve the University of any financial strain. He desired that the authorities of the University should have full power to utilisa the capital sum of £40,000 for any schemes they think desirable to benefit students, male or female, attending Edinburgh University investment falls to be redeemed. Mr. Cowan's previous gifts to the University, amounting to £30,200, are being applied to provide a hall of residence for students, which is to be called Cowan House.

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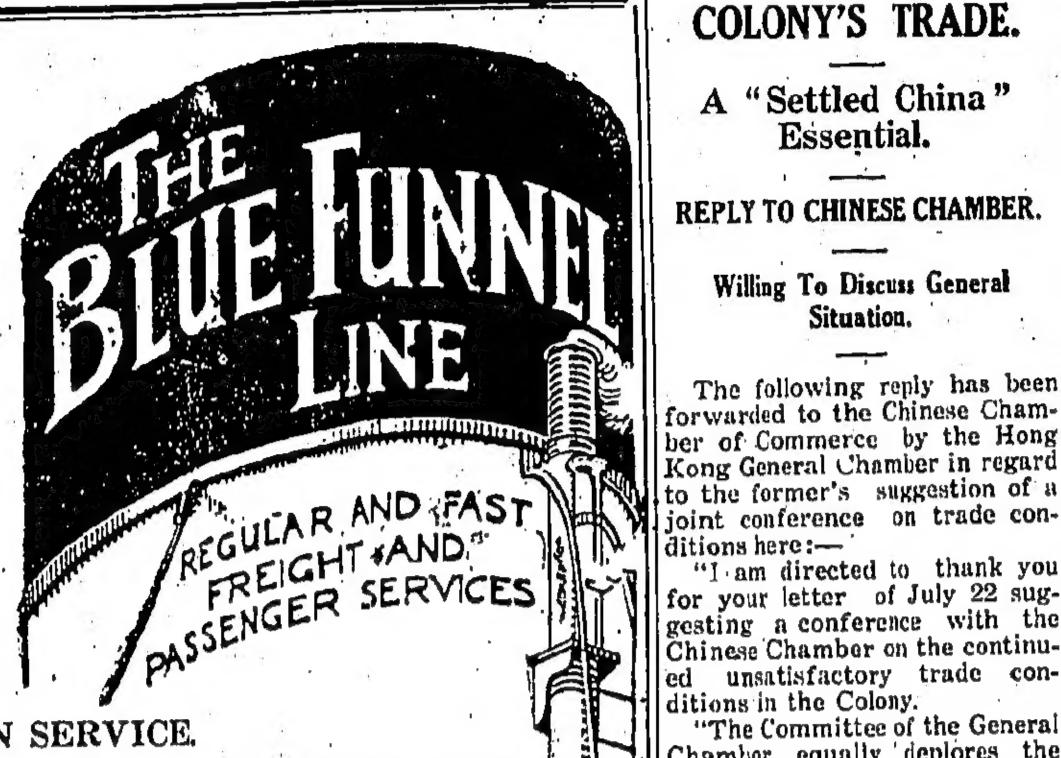
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Letters I p.m	Lai Sang.	Department of Nord, about five
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Announcements regarding the

the first towns on French soil to

feel the brunt of the German

onslaught and was occupied and

destroyed by them on Septem-

STRIKE OPTIMISM.

Early Settlement Probable.

SHIPS MAY RUN SOON.

Strikers Not Afraid Of Blackiegs.

The following reply has been Although there is no settlement as yet in the dispute between the ciation, having been approached forwarded to the Chinese Cham-Kong General Chamber in regard China Navigation Company, and to the former's suggestion of a the officers, the general atmos-joint conference on trade con- phere is still one of ontimism and phere is still one of optimism and it is thought possible that a few for your letter of July 22 sug- days may see a settlement reachgesting a conference with the ed on general lines which will per-Chinese Chamber on the continumit of the running of the boats Dear Sir whilst outstanding points are "The Committee of the General being settled.

Position in Shanghai.

present state of affairs but fears Shanghai, July 20. that no substantial improvement The Company has so far been in Hong Kong trade is likely until unable to get any of the ships there is "a settled China." When away from Hong Kong but a peace and good government preskeleton service out of Shanghai vail, especially in the Liang was inaugurated with three ships Yours etc., Kuang, the prosperity of Hong some days after the strike started. These ships were manned with officers who refused to join "If this view is correct there the strike and having completed would seem to be little use in their voyages returned to Shangmeeting to discuss remedies hai and were soon busily loading The Kowloon Motor Bus Co., Ltd which are beyond the power of

cargo for another trip. The s.s. "Tatung" was yester-Nevertheless, if the Chinese day despatched to Hankow and Chamber will be so good as to river ports and the s.s. "Poyang" indicate the lines along which will leave on a similar voyage on Friday. Friday the s.s. Tungdone to effect an improvement, this Chamber would be happy to chow" will sail for Weihaiwei, buses, will be complied with, and take part in a discussion if there Chefco and Tientsin. The s.s. "Shuntien" which has been tied structed to that effect accordingappears prospect of benefit being up at Tientsin since the coinmencement of the strike is expected this morning and is being to you that half fare will be brought to Shanghai with a deck granted to those travelling on and engine room crew of officers first class only; and does not exwho remained loyal to the Com- tend to the second class riders, pany in Tientsin. The s.s. as at present some, though few, "Fengtien" has been taken from of the service men pay only 5 the wharves at Tientsin to the Company's own wharf at Tongku

of the town of crew can be found for her. Ships in Outports. The Company is planning to

Poincare, who presided, an oppor- gradually bring in all ships from tunity to refer to Franco-German the outports to Shanghai and relations. He declared that how- those for which crews cannot be ever abominable the conduct of found will be tied up until new incendiaries may have been, no- men can be brought into the serbody would infer the guilt of the vice to take the place of those on strike. This may mean a long "There is not a soul among us process and will undoubtedly reso senseless as to want to per- sult in a considerable loss to the petuate hatred between neigh- Company but their minds have bouring races, whose agreement been made up that they will not is essential for the peace of submit to the men's demands for humanity. We only ask that arbitration.

The attitude of the men, according to the feelings expressed at a combined meeting of the two Guilds on Monday afternoon, is as fixed as ever and they are not Paris, Monday. | the least disturbed by the an-In his speech at the ceremony nounced policy of the Company of restoration M. Poincare re- to run the ships with outside notorious Southern Illinois gang. marked that France had not ceas- assistance. One of the Guild has been condemned to death and ed to give proof of a spirit of con- officials stated yesterday after- his two companions sentenced to ciliation and would continue her noon that there were very few life sentences for the murder of pacific efforts loyally, constantly efficient officers to be found in the Mayor Adams of West City is and with good grace. "She knows | East to-day who were not holding December. - Reuter's American it to conform with her duty to the good positions already; and the Service. world and to her own interests. few who were without employ-It would be on her part an act of ment were very small and would folly to let adventures interrupt not make much difference to the

the work whereto she is entirely strike, either way. A wireless message received by "Peace is not only dear to her the Guilds yesterday afternoon but necessary, both external and stated that the officers who had internal peace, to bring about joined the strike from the veswhich she had subordinated all sels "Fengtien" and "Shuntien" eases were reported during the secondary questions to the ques-and who had wired the Guilds week ended July 23—two frem tion which for the moment domin-that they feared criminal pro-cholera, one from small pox, one ceedings, were returning to from enteric fever, one from economic and financial restoration | Shanghai steamer "Dairen Maru" and would arrive last evening.

BOY KNOCKED DOWN.

[Orchies is a small town in the]_ Department of Nord, about five Bus Co. vehicle No. 101 reports that term "Special Police" being used Department of Nord, about live whilst in Che Wo Street he acmiles from the Belgian frontier.
It stands on the railway about aged 14, who sustained injuries to in last Friday's issue. The Police Shipbuilde half way between Valenciennes his legs. He was taken to hospital. and Armentieres. It was one of

K.M.A. OUTPUT.

The local agents of the Kailan Mining Administration report that the total output of the Adminiswinding up of the Hong Kong and tration's mines for the week end- a sampan in the Yaumati typhoon Kowloon Taxicab Co., Ltd, appear ed July 9, amounted to 96,525 tons, in the advertisement columns to- and the sales during the period to | 26, a Chinese woman was thrown

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ENTERIC FEVER.

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POLICE RESERVE.

Some misunderstanding has The driver of the Kowloon Motor excusably arisen as a result of the in last Friday's issue. The Police Reserve are a new force and are separate from the Special Police force, which is already in existence and will operate as before.

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